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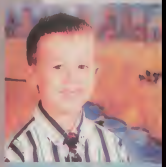


Left: Grafitti left on the school from friends
Right: Tree that was planted in Tommy's memory

Background is of the mural that Tommy drew and began to paint. It remains unfinished in the school.

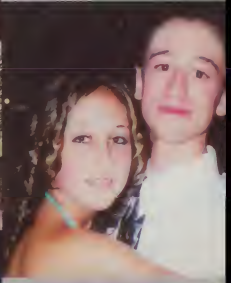
# of Tommy Manchesi

"Cheez, you will never be forgotten. Memories will never fade away and you will always hold a special place in our hearts. You watch over us everyday and keep us safe. We love you buddy." - Tom Murray

"Tom, Even though you cannot be seen physically or heard, your kindness, responsibility, and respect can be found wandering in the hearts of your friends and peers, which will travel with them forever." - Chad Ahern

"When I think of my friend Tom I don't think sad thoughts. Truthfully, I just remember our memories from second grade to tenth grade. I've experienced many memories with Tom and so many of them go through my head. But, what I will never forget is his smile. Tom had a very impacting smile. No matter how bad the day could be he'd still smile and let you know that he was happy to see you. His artistic talent was incredible as was his knowledge about the military. Tom will always be in my heart." - Travis Soaft

"Tommy always knew what was going on in the world. I was in his 10th grade history class and he just always knew everything that we talked about in class." - Amanda Letizio



"Tom, you were more than just a neighbor, you were a friend, a brother. I'll always miss you and you're always in my heart." -Andrew Lomaglio

"God broke our hearts to prove to us, he only takes the best. Tom, always in my heart; miss you." - Cassandra Clavette

Tommy will live forever in the hearts and memories of all who knew him. He was fortunate to have grown up in this wonderful town with a family, friends, and teachers who love him very much. Tom was talented in art and also enjoyed good times with others, computer games, sports, and was an avid patriots fan. We wish for all to remember him as a great guy who touched their lives with friendliness, a warm smile, joy, and laughter. We know that Tommy wishes the best of luck to all of you. With love and gratitude, *The Manchesi Family*

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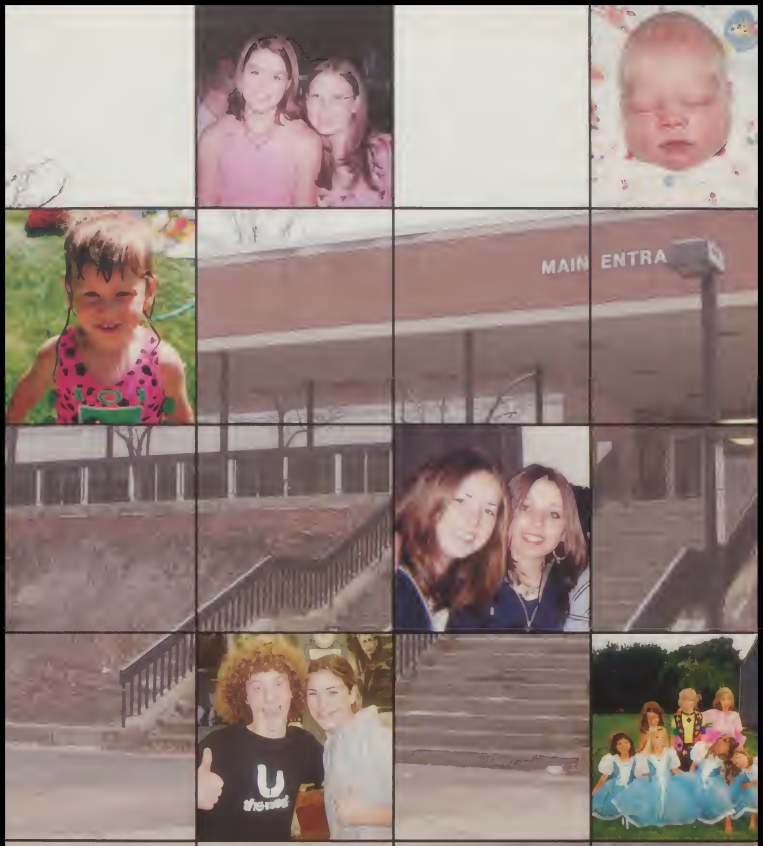

Through the Years

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Laura Bedus

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Matt DelConte

Melissa Mendoza

Allison Thurston

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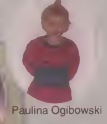
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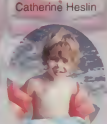
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Gabrielle Sobilo

Amber Witter

Bethany Horbal

Allison Farrell

Amy Brochu

Chris Sargis

Alyssa Mazzarella

Derek Roncaioli

Danielle Berube

Jamie Petronis

Andrew Homberger

Jaimi Welch

Jessica Kipphut

Jennifer Glatz

Kenny Pausig

Justin Ohm

Kristin Legenza

Kaitlyn King

Kathleen Strain

Kimberly Carnosci

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Krista Sullivan

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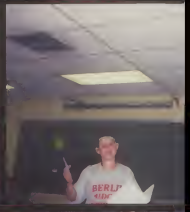

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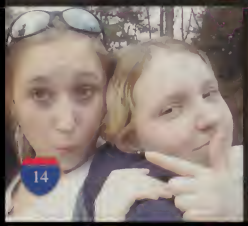

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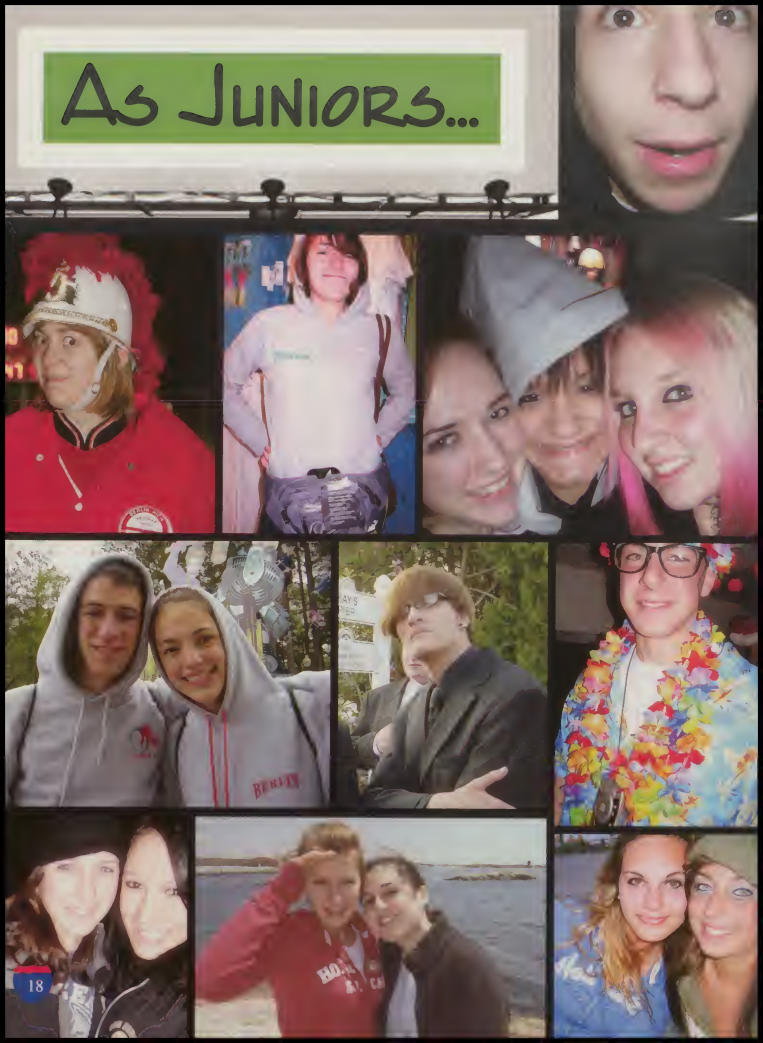

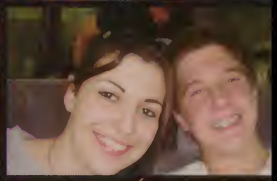

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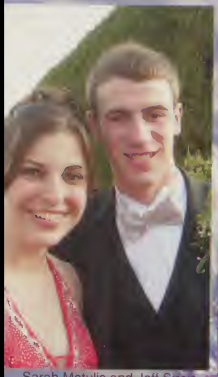
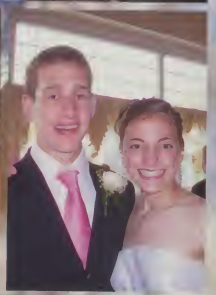


Sarah Matulis and Jeff Sirois

Andrew Hornberger and Kristin Aniolowski



Above left: [illegible] and Liz O'Donnell Above center: Dave Skowronek, [illegible] Prosseau, [illegible] Kim Gambsci, [illegible] and Lauren [illegible] Above Right: [illegible] and Hilary [illegible] Anet Czyzewski, [illegible] Molly Clarke, and [illegible] Conway Right: Kaley [illegible] and Jaime Rasmussen

Prom King Patrick King and Prom Queen Mazzerella

A few brave dancers try some new moves.

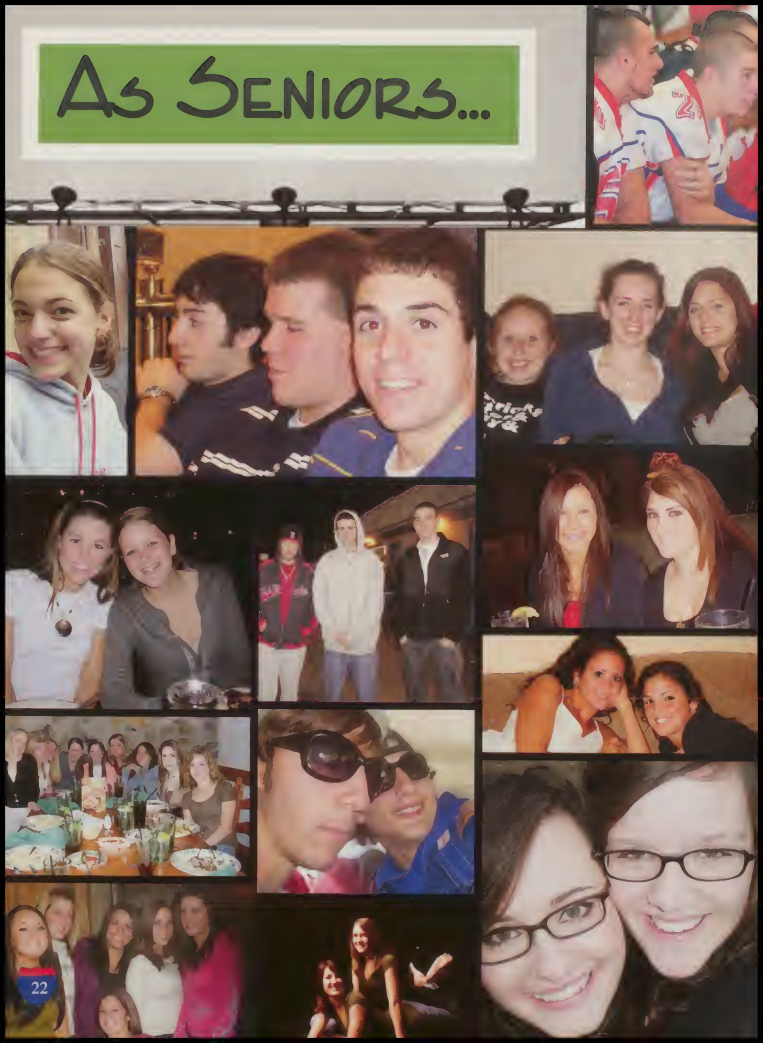
Christina Zappulla and Lisa Chimbar strike a funny pose.

"And all I can taste is this moment and all I can breathe is your life. Cause [illegible] later [illegible] I just d[illegible] to miss y[illegible] ~God[illegible]

Above: Sabrina Kania, Stephanie Durante, and Kaitlyn King. Below: Amanda Letizio and Jonathan Mowel

Below: A few teacher chaperones take a break to pose.

As Seniors...



Dorothy Adamkiewicz

"We cannot fail to win unless we fail to try" - Tom Clancy. I have failed numerous times in my high school career but I stood back up and tried again. Thanks to my family for sticking by me and to my friends; Mary and Paulina for being by my side. Rebekah you have been there for me always and laughed for hours, thank you for all the laughs and memories. Congrats class of 2008!

Chad Ahern

"Life is too short so have a blast to make it last." I have had lots of good and bad times at Berlin High School. Only the good times are remembered though. I'll remember all the fun I had chilling with my boys, reminiscing of past smiles and laughs that we shared. Yet even though I didn't like going to school it was cool because all my friends were there with me.

Sami Alami

"There are no road signs to help navigate. And, in fact, no one has yet determined which side of the road we're supposed to be on."

Mary Alberti

"For every dark night, there's a brighter day." If you put your mind into what you do you will be successful. During my four years of high school I have learned so much and I have so many memories that will always be with me with unconditional love and last a life time. I would like to thank my friends and my family for always being there for me. "During your life, never stop dreaming. No one can take away your dreams." Good luck class of '08.

Adrianna Alessi

'Live Fast Die Hard.'- Elvis 'The King' Presley

Dustin Allen

"There are only two mistakes one can make along the road to truth; not going all the way, and not starting."

Elizabeth Allocca

These past four years have been filled with memories that will last a lifetime. To my friends - thanks for always being there, I can not imagine life without you - I love you. My colorguard unit girls, there was never a dull morrient when we were together, thanks for making senior year so interesting. Mom, Dad, and Mike, thank you for all of your support over these past four years. And to the class of '08, good luck!

Carl Amato

'Live fast, Die fun' - Famous Stars and Straps. Here is to the weekends. Great times right there. I had four great years here in this school that I won't forget.

"Never second guess where you've been, where you are, & most of all where you're going." Good luck class of 08. To my family - So much of me is made of what I learned from you. I love you all. N.Rich - Through odds & ends, thank you for always being there. Twin - Because I knew you, I have been changed for good. And to the others who have stayed true - I will carry the memories with me forever.

Ashley Andruskiewicz

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." These past years have been the best years of my life. Without help, it would've been impossible to manage. My family, you've always been there for me. Casey, Alli, Bri & LuLa, you girls are the best. My love, you are amazing. I don't know what I'd do without you. 6/3/07. It's time these dreams become reality! Congrats '08!

Kristen Aniolowski

Many people call upon particular things as a source of inspiration. After much reflection, I have come to the realization that my source is the humble platypus. Platypuses have endless possibilities, as do I. If you think about it, there is no animal more truly noble. So certainly, you can understand why it gives one much motivation. I hope you are all similar to platypuses or platypi.

Emily Auciello

"Accept yourself for who you are. I'd rather be the best me I possibly can than a copy of someone else." I'll never forget my girls and the crazy times we've had, memories were definitely made. Dad, Mom, Gina, Amanda; thanks for all your love and support. Good luck class of '08.

Diana Aziz

Though we are young, we hold the torch of change that will create a better tomorrow. One cannot let criticism, ignorance, or fear of failure yield them from making a difference in the world. Help those who are weaker than you & follow those who inspire you. I wish everyone the best of luck in life & hope you all will find happiness. Mom, Dad, & family, you mean more to me than you will ever know.

Michael Baczewski

I couldn't have asked for any more hectic a trip through high school. To my mom, dad, & brother, I am both grateful & deeply sorry for bringing you along this rickety rollercoaster ride - few families possess your sense of reckless loyalty. Jaime, Jon, & Meatwagon - thank you for helping me get from point A to point B. To Derek Lubetkin, who made the last three years something worth telling stories about.

Cameron Banks

I really don't know what to say. These last few years have just been a blur. I can barely remember anything I have learned in these last four years in this school. There is just one thing I do recall, spending time with my friends during school or after it. Those are the times I'll hold close to me, even years after we all leave this school for good and never come back here again.

Joseph Barrett

"So everybody put your best suit or dress on / Let's make believe that we are wealthy for just this once / Lighting firecrackers off on the front lawn / As thirty dialogues bleed into one / I wish the world was flat like the old days / Then I could travel just by folding a map / No more airplanes, or speed trains, or freeways / There'd be no distance that can hold us back." - Death Cab For Cutie

Laura Bedus

Nicholas Bengtson

"I wear what I want to, overalls, work boots, Crank my music up loud, like to sling a little mud in my four wheel drive, Trek it all into town." I'll never forget these four long years, muddin' on the weekends & fires in the woods, tarno & betas were our homes for these years, Kent's house in the barn, Halloween parties, truck pulls & ice fishing all winter long. Thanks Mom and Dad, Congrats '08!

Danielle Berube

"Time flies over us, but leaves its shadow behind."

Heather Bianca

"Don't gain the world and lose your soul, wisdom is better than silver or gold." - Bob Marley. To everyone who has helped me get through these past four years, thank you. Dream as you'll live forever; live as you'll die today. Congratulations & good luck class of '08!

Vanessa Bianchi

"I don't know anybody's road who's been paved perfectly for them, there are no manuals, you don't know what life has in store for you."

Steven Bielinski

"The roughest road often leads to the top."

Ryan Bigelow

"I'd rather have huge success and huge failures than travel in the middle of the road."

Timothy Bisson

"Heroes get remembered but legends never die. Follow your heart kid, and you'll never go wrong." - Sandlot. Good times Sage, Pat, Jill, Lindsay, Jaimi, and all my friends. Thanks to my family, I will see you later, Tim.

Tyler Bisson

"The story goes on even if we're gone, that's a fact we have to face". - Ben Hutson. To the people I've shared high school with, thanks for making it a great learning experience not only educationally, but socially as well. To my friends, you know who you are, without you i wouldn't be where I am. I will remember all of you. Thanks to all the people who supported my music, anyone who ever went to a show, or bought a cd, you're the best. Good luck, ALL!

"Life is like a box of chocolates, you never know what you're gonna get."

Nicholas Brix

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." Berlin High School has taught me so much these four years. I would like to thank my teachers for preparing me for life. I would also like to thank my family for being there for me my whole life. I would also like to thank my friends and my boyfriend Sage for making my high school experience even more enjoyable. I love you guys!

Amy Brochu

"Wherever you go, go with all your heart." ~ Confucius. These past 4 years have gone by way too fast and will never be forgotten. To my friends, thanks for always being there and for all of the crazy memories. You all mean so much to me. Soccer girls, you're all awesome! Thanks for making each year unforgettable. Mom, Dad, Chris, and Matt, I don't know what I'd do without you guys. I love you. Congratulations and good luck class of 2008!

Caitlyn Brodeur

To all my true friends I've had over the years, thanks for everything. I'll never forget all our crazy memories and all those amazing times. Al, thanks for getting me through rough times. To my family, thanks for always being there. Good luck class of 2008!

Jamie Brousseau

I wish to say "Thank You!" to everyone that has helped me over the past thirteen years. To my friends: keep being crazy! To my family: thanks for putting up with me and supporting me. Mom...I miss you. Good luck class of 2008!

James Bystrek

The past four years my high school experience has always been drama club. The club has given me everything and is the reason why I have enjoyed high school so much. From the plays, improv, and the weekly meetings, I found a reason to go to school. So to my drama kids, I'll miss all of you!

Brian Cameron

"Don't cry because it's over. Smile because it happened." - Dr. Seuss. To my friends - I couldn't have done it without you. Words can't describe what you all mean to me. Varsity girls soccer '07, you guys are the best, the laughs and the memories will never be forgotten. Mom, my best friend, I love you more each day. Dad and Alex, love and thanks for the support throughout the years. Good luck Class of '08, it's been real.

Kimberly Camosci

"Two roads diverged in a wood, and I- I took the one less traveled by, And that has made all the difference."

Jenna Carlone

Sarah Carlson

"Every time there is a struggle, it is preparation for what is yet to come." The endless drives with no destination will live on forever. The most amazing friends have come my way, including all six members of the secret crew. The never ending nights at Marcs, really. .never ending. The basement drama was amazing! My family, I don't know how you all put up with me. TRINITY LOVE FOREVER.

Lindsay Casasanta

"Make the best of the one life you have to live, and live it with no regrets." I will always remember the meadows, Lori's house, TJ's kitchen summer '07, Nana's basement, our 2nd house, Lizzie's parties, birthdays, prom, homecoming '07, & joe's. Love you girls. Mom, Dad, Tommy, & Lauren, thanks for all the love and support.

Brent Casner

"Good things do not come easy. The road is lined with pitfalls."

Michael Casner

"Don't be discouraged by a failure. It can be a positive experience. Failure is, in a sense, the highway to success."

Courtney Caswell

"Live fully, laugh often, and love always." These past four years have been amazing. These are the times I'll forever remember. Liz, you're like a sister to me. No matter how far we go we'll always be together. Remember QUE SERA SERA! Sean and Elmer, you guys make me smile! I'll miss you two. Mom, Hil, Sky, and Dad, thanks for all your love and support. Good luck Class of '08!

Jeffrey Catalano

I would like to thank my mom the most for putting up with me throughout my four years of high school. The other person I would like to thank is Mr. Benigni for supporting me with everything I have done even though I gave him a hard time. He was always there to talk to.

Lisa Chimbar

"Live life like there's no tomorrow..." Love the road trips minus the destination, never ending up in the right state on the way home. Thanks to the friends you'll never know, you always got my back always making the nights interesting and the weekends endless. Honestly never ending! You know..yeah! Thanks to all my friends for dealing with me all year, I really appreciate you all. TRINITY LOVE

Michael Clancy

"It is not in the stars to hold our destinies, but in ourselves."- William Shakespeare. These past four years have passed so quickly. I learned many valuable things from the experiences I had along the way. Thanks to the friends who were always there for me and thank you Mom, Dad, and Aaron for always supporting me. I'll always remember my soccer girls. Good luck class of '08.

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Molly Clarke

"Laugh as much as you breathe and love as long as you live." Thanks to my family and friends for always being there. Tom - rest in peace, always in our hearts. Good luck class of '08.

Cassandra Clavette

"My Everything or Nothing." I'll never forget the memories I have and the people I've met during my years at BHS. Thanks to my friends Cory, Spyros, Jeffrey, Ryan, Cam, and Cooper. While you're running around in your black shirts yelling "Smash Squad" I'll be scoring touchdowns. To my family for your endless love and support Mom, Dad, Steve, Liz, Emma thank you so much.

James Connelly

"Do what you love and love what you do." I will forever bring with me the things I've learned in my years at Berlin High. To my teachers, the tennis team, and the newspaper, thanks for teaching me the meaning of hard work. To my friends, thanks for the great memories and laughs, you made high school unforgettable. Most of all, thanks to Mom, Dad, & Richie. I couldn't have done it without you! Congrats Class of '08!

Meghan Conway

I want to thank all my friends, teachers and coaches who have helped me throughout these past four years of high school and have shaped me into the person I am today. To the Smash Squad, going out there on Friday nights and doing our thing. I especially want to thank my family and those close to me - couldn't have done it without them. Good luck class of '08.

John Cooper

"Experience is a jewel, and it had need be so, for it is often purchased at an infinite rate."

Robert Cote

"Life is like a rollercoaster." Perfect words for high school. Many great times. Went by way too fast. Wish I had one more year. Good luck to everyone in the class of 2008.

Nicholas Couceiro

"Another turning point; a fork stuck in the road. Time grabs you by the wrist and directs you where to go."

Lauren Cowperthwaite

Justin Crim

"True terror is to wake up one morning and discover that your high school class is running the country." - Kurt Vonnegut All of my memories of high school are crazy and I wouldn't have wished it any other way. I will never forget the amazing times in cross country, band, and, of course, Upbeat. Words cannot express the love I have for my Triforce, Triangle, and all my other great friends. To my family, even if I deny it later, I love you and thanks for keeping me around.

Daniel Crisafulli

"The key to change is to let go of fear."

Kevin Cyr

"The road to success is always under construction."

Mitchell Cyr

"Results? Why, man, I have gotten lots of results! If I find 10,000 ways something won't work, I haven't failed. I am not discouraged, because every wrong attempt discarded is often a step forward..." - Thomas Edison

Anet Czyzewski

"I'll show you & this whole town, that I'm one in a million." God you're my savior. Mom & Dad you make me the person I am today. I love you. Monika, thanks for everything. Liczba you're my other half. Twin, because I knew you I've been changed for good. My best & LuLa, endless memories, never stop shining! The class of '08, it's been an amazing ride. Onto the next chapter, watch out world here I come ...

Michal Dabrowski

"The doors we open and close each day decide the lives we live."

Ryan DeGroff

"The will to do, The soul to dare." Thank you to the four people who helped me through everything: Mom, Dad, Sam and Olivia. Thank you to my coaches who pushed me through everything and the people who stayed close to me. Smash Squad: you guys became part of my family and became something that I truly believe in.

Lisa DelCegno

"Nobody can go back and start a new beginning, but anyone can start today and make a new ending."

"I'm a dreamer. I have to dream and reach for the stars, and if I miss a star then I grab a handful of clouds."- Mike Tyson. I would like to thank my coaches, teachers, friends, and especially my family for sticking with me through my 4 years at BHS. SMASH SQUAD '07 - I will remember every practice and every game when we did our thing. We are FAMILY. Lastly, good luck class of '08, we finally did it.

Matthew DelConte

"Nobody can go back and start a new beginning, but anyone can start today and make a new ending."

Danielle Deleon

A very important person in my life once said, "Four years goes fast." It's true. I'm excited about the future and confident about the past. To my family, thank you for everything and I love you. To my friends, our memories are timeless and our friendship is endless. To my volleyball girls, especially you three - you're absolutely unforgettable.

Christina DeSimone

"Wherever you go, go with all your heart." These past four years have gone by so fast. Amazing memories from soccer, swimming, tennis, Upbeat, and Band. To all my friends thank you for making high school so much fun. I'll never forget Warbs, Peg, menos tres, & those late nights junior year. I'd also like to thank my mom, dad & sister. RIP Mom. Kelley, I can't thank you enough for getting me through tough times, you truly make my life better. Good Luck '08.

Andrew DeVivo

"Pain is temporary, pride is forever." As much as I hate school, Berlin High has been one of the best experiences of my life. These last four years have definitely been a rollercoaster. I just want to thank my four best friends, Tim, Mike, Clancy, and Amy for being there for me during the ups and downs, as well as my teachers for putting up with me for this long. I've come out a changed man.

Sage Dewees

"I'm all out of love. I'm so lost without you." Tulsi, you are my Best Friend. We had so many good times from staying up all night fighting during the DNA project to getting ready for homecoming. These past four years have flown by. I will miss the talks around the kitchen table with my sisters, and driving my rusty old truck around town. These times dont last forever so make the best of them.

Sarah DiMattia

"It is a rough road that leads to the heights of greatness."

Alexander DiMitruck

"My everything or nothing." The past four years have taught me so much. There are so many memories here. However, the one thing I will never forget is playing alongside my brothers on the gridiron. I grew up playing with you guys and it has been the best experience of my life. Smash Squad for life.

Benjamin Domurat

Quan Duong

From the moment I stepped through the doors of this school, I have enjoyed and learned much in education and life. I would like to thank my teachers and my family as well for supporting me to where I am today. Finally, a big shout out to my friends for all the great times during high school: Dave, CJ, Ryan, Trevor, and Matt.

Stephanie Durante

"We all take different paths in life, but no matter where we go, we take a little of each other everywhere." My time at BHS has been filled with unforgettable memories. Sabrina, Adrian, and Kaitlyn, thanks for everything. I don't know what I would have done without you! Mom, Dad, Anthony, and Gabriella; thanks for all your support. Congratulations and good luck class of 2008!

Matthew Dutkiewicz

"Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for a while, leave footprints on out hearts, and we are never, ever the same." – Flavia Weedn

Esra Duvenci

I have enjoyed playing Unified Sports while at Berlin High School. For the last two years I have had the honor of being the Unified Captain. I am also a member of the International Club since I am Turkish. I have made many friends that I will miss when I graduate. I want to thank all of my teachers, especially Mrs. Grady and Mr. Grabowski. I will miss them very much. In closing, I also want to thank my Mom and Dad. I love you!

Daniel Erickson

Over the past four years, I have had some of the best times of my life. I would like to thank all my friends and family who have helped me along the way through both the thick and thin. Without you, who knows where I would be today. Thank you.

Rebekah Fargo

Why tear out single pages when you can throw away the book? Why pluck one string when you can strum the guitar? Strum the guitar! Thank you to my family for all the encouragement: my Mom, Sister, & Brother, I love you so much. Thanks to all my friends, you know who you are. It's the ones you can call up at 4am really matter - Marlene Dieatrich. Dorothy, my best friend, thanks, you were there through think & thin. Memories will benever be forgotten and will continue. Good luck '08.

Katherine Farr

"When life gets that much harder, it makes you that much stronger." Mom and Dad thank you so much for your unconditional love throughout the years. You never stopped believing in me. I love you both so much. T.J. and Becky you are the best brother and sister anyone could ever ask for. You both mean the world to me, thank you for always being there for me. My friends, the countless memories we shared I will always cherish. Good luck class of 2008.

Allison Farrell

"Laugh as much as you breathe and love as long as you live." To my friends thanks for making the past four years great. To Kristen and Casey thanks for all the crazy nights and laughs we shared. I will never forget you guys. To the tennis team, thanks for the memories. And to my family, Mom, Dad, Bill, and Mike thanks for being there for me, love you. Good luck class of 2008!

The road of life can only reveal itself as it is traveled; each turn in the road reveals a surprise. Man's future is hidden.

Jonathan Fiorillo

Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail.

Dominic Fischer

"The roots of education are bitter, but the fruit is sweet." ~ Aristotle. There were a lot of ups and downs in my four years of school. The people I thank: the person that was probably there for me the most would have to be my mom. Next would have to be my girlfriend Abby. She was the one who could get me in a good mood if I was down. I love you so much Ab! ~4/15/07~ Lastly would be my friends.

Justin Forester

A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step.

Michael Fort

The past four years have gone by so fast. The memories will last a lifetime and stay with me all throughout college. To all my bests, you know who you are, thanks for always being there and for all the fun times. "You'll be with me, like a handprint on my heart." Mom, Dad, and Meghan. .you guys are my rock. I love you! Congratulations class of 2008! We did it!

Kelly Foy

To everyone who has always been there for me these past four years, thank you for everything. My girls, the times were unforgettable, I couldn't ask for better friends. Alyosa, you've always been my best friend and my other half. To my parents & sisters, you have always given me the love and support that I needed, I love you. To the class of 2008, congratulations and good luck!

Elizabeth Fragione

We came to our conclusions,
We came to what we thought would never end...
-My American Heart

Katherine Frank

"The more you find out about the world, the more opportunities there are to laugh at it." - Bill Nye

Benedict Gagliardi

Christopher Gagnon

I see my path, but I don't know where it leads. Not knowing where I'm going is what inspires me to travel it.

Alexander Gavelek

These past four years have been some of the best times of my life. To the guys, hanging out with you was always fun no matter what we did. To the girls, I never knew what to expect. We made lots of great memories. Mom and Dad, you have always been there to support me and I thank you. Amy and Caryn, thanks for always being there when I needed you the most. Congratulations to the class of 2008.

Genc Gilani

I would like to thank the guys and all the ladies for making my high school experience the time it was. Also, I would like to thank my family for helping me throughout these past four years; I couldn't have done it without you. We cry when we're born, 'n we cry when we die...so for the time in between...I'ma enjoy life"

Matthew Giuffre

Don't stop believing
Hold on to that feeling

Jennifer Glatz

Some people will talk about friends; others will talk about their journey. Me? Well, I just want to get out of here, and if I know my friends, I know that they are thinking the exact same thing. Love all of you, and the next time you will hear about me, it'll be because I have followed my dream.

Joseph Glowka

"No longer forward nor behind
I look in hope and fear;
But grateful take the good I find,
The best of now and here."

Danielle Gorneault

"Success often comes to those who have the aptitude to see way down the road." These past 4 years have gone by way too fast. Thanks to my friends for these unforgettable memories. To my Softball girls, I will never forget our Intense games and good luck in the future. Mom, Dad and Sarah thanks for your love & support. I couldn't have made it without you! Congrats and Good Luck! CLASS OF 2008!!!

Alyssa Griffo

First off, Mom & Dad I love you. I can't thank you enough for all of your love & support. Theresa, Vicki, & Ash...I couldn't have asked for better sisters or best friends. Lizzie...love you girl! My best friend & other half 'till the end. To all my girls, these past 4 years have been CRAZY! Through the thick and thin, thanks for making it unforgettable. To the class of '08...Congrats and good luck!

My high school experience has taught me how to live, learn and never regret. High school has been the best four years of my life. I will always remember the good times with friends and the experiences we shared. Thanks to my family for their never ending support.

Michael Griswold

As an important person in my life once said, "Four years goes by fast." To all my friends Amanda, Catherine, Alexa, Beth, Sam and many more, thanks for the countless memories we created, bonfires, Alexa's, etc. To my volleyball girls Amanda, Kaley, and Christina I love you guys. All the good times during basketball and softball I'll never forget. Thanks Mom, Dad, and Matt for everything.

Meagan Guy

To everyone younger & older, thanks for all of the fun times that we had together. To every teacher, coach, & parent I have encountered, you all have had a huge influence on me. To everyone of my friends, every single moment I was with you is unforgettable. Yes, the future must come and college looks sweet, but if given the chance to relive these 4 years with you all, I would take that opportunity.

John Guzze

"If you would know the road ahead, ask someone who has traveled it."

Nicholas Haber

400 characters is not nearly enough to capture the endless variety that is my life. This is also undoubtedly infinitely better than the lame quote that would have been placed here had I not said anything.

Shaun Harle

"There is no dark side of the moon. Matter of fact, it's all dark." - Pink Floyd. All of my years here have been great, and I won't forget any of the memories.

Trevor Hayes

"Action may not always bring happiness; but there is no happiness without action."

Nicholas Heise

"If you keep on believing, the dreams that you wish will come true." To my family, thanks for everything. Lauren, you are the best sister ever. To my friends Amanda, Alexa, Beth?, Meg, Sam, Court, Liz, Mari, Ally, and all the guys, I love you all so much! Nothing would be the same without you. Mike, you'll always be my best friend, no matter what. It's been fun.

Catherine Heslin

Justin Hillemeir

High School is a lot like toilet paper, you only miss it when it's gone. Thanks to all my friends and family for all the great times. I had a lot of fun, and I'll never forget these past years. A word of advice: Enjoy yourself. These are the good old days you're going to miss in the years ahead.

Elizabeth Hogan

"As we go on, we remember all the times we had together and as our lives change, from whatever, we will still be friends forever." I'll never forget the good times with everyone. RH and Al saved me. Seriously, I don't know what I'd do without my girls; we've had some crazy memories. Love you all to death. I'd like to thank my family for putting up with me - love you guys. Good luck class of '08!

Bethany Horbal

"And in the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years." Traditional notebook burnings, bench buddies, and countless rides in Cathy's tank will forever have significance in my heart. I'll never forget our spot at Woodstock, Cat food, or the garage bands. Thanks to my closest friends for making high school unforgettable, and my family for supporting me.

Andrew Homberger

The last four years have taught me about hard work, facing your fears, and achieving your goals. With hard work from school and sports, I've changed mentally and physically. The few hard times I've had, my friends, family and you were there to get me through them. Thanks love (6/03/07). I'll take these things I've learned and use them to help me in life. Thanks Berlin High. Good luck class of 2008!

Mikayla Howick

'Breathe, breathe in the air. Don't be afraid to care. Leave but don't leave me. Look around and choose your ground. Long you live and high you fly. And smiles you'll give and tears you'll cry. And all you touch and all you see is all your life will ever be." - Pink Floyd, Breathe

Amy Hrenko

"To be a star, you must shine your own light, follow your own path, and dont worry about the darkness, for that is when stars shine brightest." High school is where the individual breaks away from societal bounds. Going forth to take my first steps into the real world I want to thank all the people who accepted me for who I am. Thank you for your kindness and laughs, I will remember them always.

Michael Imundo

"You need great passion, because everything you do with great pleasure, you do well" Juan Manuel Fangio (five time Formula 1 world champion) I have learned many life lessons and values through my four years of high school. I would like to thank my parents, teachers, and role models for helping me through high school. I could not have made it through without them. Congratulations class of 2008. We did it!!!!

Cameron Johnson

"I know it seems hard sometimes but remember one thing. Through every dark night, there's a bright day after that. So no matter how hard it gets, stick your chest out, keep your head up and handle it." To the men and ladies thanks for everything. Family thank you I wouldn't have made it without you. "Smash Squad" we became not just a team but a family. "Wars come and go but my soldiers stay eternal"

"Whether you think that you can, or you think that you can, either way you're right." Henry Ford. This quote means a lot to me because every time I'm unconfident about performing a task this quote reminds me that I can do whatever I want to. A special thanks to my teachers who helped me through my high school career. A special thanks to all my family and friends who believed in me in and outside of school, you all made it possible for me to graduate. Thank You All!!

Shelby Johnson

"It is not work that kills men, it is worry. Work is healthy; you can hardly put more on a man that he can bear. But worry is rust upon the blade. It is not movement that destroys the machinery, but friction."

Terrell Jones

"I leap, without fear, into the void. I go in search of the great perhaps." I will never forget my time at Berlin High. Thank you to Kidwell. Thank you to Shaun for the friendship and the laughs. Thank you to Nicole for your compassion and love. Thank you, to all the people who helped me to be what I am.

Christopher Joseffy

To find what you seek in the road of life, the best proverb of all is that which says: "Leave no stone unturned."

Kevin Josephson

"There is only one person who can ever make you happy, and that person is you."

Alexandra Juchniewicz

"Life is like a taxi. The meter just keeps a-ticking whether you are getting somewhere or just standing still."

Matthew Kalentkowski

"What you leave behind is not engraved in stone monuments, but what is woven into the lives of others."

Sabrina Kania

"Happiness depends more on the inward disposition of mind than on outward circumstances."

Matthew Karwowski

Kaitlyn King

"Live in the present but remember the past, fear not the future for it never exists and never shall there is only now." Bina, Ronnie, Steph, Lizzie, Erin, and Jess, you guys have helped me through all the rough patches these past four years and for that I will always love you. To all my other friends, you're amazing and I'll never forget any of the times we spent together. Love.

Patrick King

"Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop to look around once and awhile you could miss it." - Ferris Buhler. Thanks to all my friends for everything, you know who you are. Mom, Dad, Tim, Colin, and Papa, I love you all and your support has meant the world to me. If I had the chance to go through Berlin High again, I'd do it the same and that's all that matters in the end. Peace out BHS!

Jessica Kipphut

"Live for the moments you can't put into words." These past four years at Berlin High have been truly unforgettable. Thanks family, for your love and support. Friends: the ones who actually made an impact on my life, I love you and I will never forget all of our countless, priceless memories. Lisa, It's been fun putting up with you for the past 14 years. We've paid our dues, goodbye BHS.

Michelle Kiss

These past four years have been amazing! Sam and Kimmy, I will love you girls forever! The past 12 years have been so exciting! Kelley, so many memories and trips together! Mom, Dad, and Andy, thank you so much for all of your help and support. I wish the best of luck to the graduating class of 2008!

Matthew Kliszewski

"A man's worth is no greater than his ambitions." I have gained so much, both in and out of school during my four year career here at Berlin High. I would like to thank my teachers, as well as my parents for helping me achieve. I would also like to thank my girlfriend Victoria, who this wouldn't be possible without. And to all my friends, who have been there for me, thanks for everything.

Quenton Kloczko

Laughs at Cromwell Diner, late night homework, American Studies and of course Guitar Hero. Somehow, someway, time flew by and here I am. These moments I will cherish down the road. To the people in my life who shaped me, thanks. I hope I did the same. In a way, it's like the lyrics by The Beatles, "The love you take is equal to the love you make." ...Wait, what the heck does that mean anyway?!?

Heather Kolodziej

"Believe in what your heart is saying hear the melody that's playing." Wow, these past 4 years have been such an experience. My musical world has expanded and I have met so many new people. I have learned to be myself around my peers. Thank you shnookums (you know who you are!) and all of the other people who mean the world to me. You all have made my high school career an enjoyable one.

Michael Kopycinski

"The roughest road often leads to the top."

"I demolish my bridges behind me. .then there is no choice but to move forward."

Matthew Kordek

"Nothing can bring you peace but yourself."

George Kouzelis

"Imagination is more important than knowledge."

Maciej Kozerski

"Make the best of the one life you have to live, and live it with no regrets." I will always remember the meadows, lori's house, tj's kitchen, & nana's basement, our 2nd house, lizzie's parties, birthdays, prom, homecoming 07, joe's, cruise & florida. Love you girls. Mom, Dad, and Danny thanks for all the love and support.

Tara Laviana

High school has come and gone faster than I thought possible. I am going to miss it, but I look forward to what lies ahead. To my Mom, Dad, Sarah and Jen, thank you for all your love and support. To all my friends and the girls - love you all! I'll never forget all the memories and good times we've had. Good luck class of 2008!

Kristin Legenza

"There are only two mistakes one can make along the road to truth; not going all the way, and not starting."

Maximilian Leiss

In three words I can sum up everything I've learned about life: it goes on. Thanks to all my family for being there. Girls never forget these past four years, thanks for everything. Al thanks for getting me through the rough times. JAL never forget any memories. I'll never forget April vacation '06. Jon, thanks for everything. Tom, always in my heart, never forgotten. Good luck class of 08.

Amanda Letizio

"All experience is an arch to build upon."

Benjamin Levack

Hilary Little

"Change is the law of life. And those who look only to the past or present are certain to miss the future." This is our time of change. This is our future. Take hold of it and make your dreams a reality. Best of luck class of 2008.

James Luczynski

"Great effort from great motives is the best definition of a happy life."

Madeline Luddy

"All things are difficult before they are easy." These past four years hold some of my most memorable moments. I would like to thank all of my teachers for pushing me to my potential. Thanks to all my friends: Katie, Geoff, Melissa, Christine, Holly, Carson, and everybody else. I really wouldn't have made it this far without you. Good Luck class of 2008!

Andrew Lundebjerg

"Don't bunt. Aim out of the ballpark."

Agnieszka Maciborek

In the past four years, I realized that everything happens for a reason. Mom, you never gave up on me, kocham cie. To all my friends, I would have never made it without you. Thanks for all the memories. PSS; you're amazing. To my family, I love you all. Al and Amb, thanks for getting me through the tough times. Good luck class of '08.

Kyle Malmborg

"Dawns light breaks the darkness. New hope shines from over the horizon. But, when sunset comes again, don't be afraid, the sun will rise again. Learn to embrace the shadow of the day." These are my own thoughts of high school. It was a new beginning for me, and as I progress to the end, I can always look forward to a whole new beginning. I will never forget those who impacted my life.

Angelina Mancarella

"Dream as if you'll live forever, live as if you'll die today." These past four years have been unforgettable. Thanks to my friends & family for always being there for me. To all my girls: I will always remember all of the times we've had together, I couldn't have done it without you guys. Mom, Steve, and John; thank you for all of your love & support. Good luck class of '08.

Jennifer Mann

These past four years have been unforgettable. Thank you to everyone who has been there for me. To my family: thank you for always supporting me. To my color guard girls: I'll never forget all the memories. "What is this piece?" "Get outta town!" To my best friends: Jolene, Vikki, Alyssa, & Nick, I don't know what I would have done without you guys. Good luck class of '08!

"These are the moments I will remember all my life. " Mom, Dad, and Matt, thanks for all the love and support. To all my friends, especially my Foo, these past four years have been absolutely amazing, thanks for the memories that will last a lifetime. Andy, we have been through so much together, thanks for always being there for me. Congratulations class of 2008!! We did it!!!

Kelley Manning

"And in the end, it's not the years in your life that count. It's the life in your years."

Ryan Manthey

Find happiness and capture it forever, it is the key to life. Mommy, my angel & my strength I love you with all of my heart & spirit you are everything I could ever hope to become. Julie baby, ya tú sabes que te amo! Owen, when we found each other, I found myself and I found the happiness I always dreamed of. I loved you then I love you now and always will.

Jessi Marino

"These are the best days of our lives; the only thing that matters is just following your heart." To all my girls thanks for everything and all the memories we've shared, I love you. To my family, thanks for all of the love and support, nothing would have been possible without you. "Don't ask how we did it; just know that it's already been done." Congratulations class of '08!

Kelsey Marquis

What I learned most during my years in and out of our educational institution is to grow from your experiences good or bad, hope for the best in the future and never live in regret. To my family, POPsicle, Peggy Sue & Anthony, I know I wouldn't have gotten through these years without your support. Jessica, Johnny & Marta, you help me remember what's important. We've paid our dues, goodbye BHS.

Lisa Marzi

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined."

Christopher Matlack

"The truth is: I dont know...I seek...I have not yet found. Only with this in mind can I feel alive and look at you without shame." Thanks for all of the great memories. It was pretty swell.

John Mattie

"Dont cry because it's over. Smile because it happened." To all my friends, I'll always remember the time we spent together and I wish there was a way to tell you all how much you've meant to me. Remember all the good times we've had together especially in band. From Canada, to NOLA, to Sage, my heart lies with the music of the Redcoats. Time has flown by and I'll miss you all so much.

Sarah Matulis

Jacob Matuszak

You know the speed of light, so what is the speed of dark?" I will never forget The Red Sea, Baseball under the lights, and my friends. I wouldn't have made it through school without my Mom and my Dad, thank you.

Alyssa Mazzarella

Life is a novel containing various stories. High school is a story in a special chapter of my life. I would like to thank the characters in this story for their guidance and love: Mom, Dad, Pammy, Julia, and all friends. I love you with all my heart and thank you for helping me create a story full of beautiful memories. Though each story has an end, it begins another in a novel worth living.

Patrick McCandless

"Everything happens for a reason." Meg, Kate, Mom, and Dad, thanks for all your love and support. The guys that I've played with for the past 4 years, it's been a great ride. Girls and guys, thanks for all the great times that I'll never forget. Good luck to all my friends and classmates of 2008!

Gregory McElravy

"Great effort from great motives is the best definition of a happy life."

Alyssa McGilvery

"Lost in this moment with you I am completely consumed. My feelings so absolute, there's no doubt. Sealing our love with a kiss, waitin' my whole life for this, watching all my dreams come true, lost in this moment with you." Mark, I love you so much thank you for everything. Color Guard, you're amazing. To my friends & family, I don't know what I would do without you. Good luck class of 2008!

Amanda McKenzie

As an important person in my life once said, "Four years goes fast." It's so true. To my partners in crime Catherine, Alexa, Meg, Beth?, Sam and others - thank you. I'll never forget the memories we've made on the road, my bonfires, and Alexa's. I owe a lot to my volleyball girls, especially Meg, Kaley, and Christina. I love you Mom, Dad, Jess and my second sister Jessie. By the way, thanks Morgan!

Melissa Meehan

"Even the smallest person can change the course of the future." Thank you Madeline, Jen, April, Christine and Heather for bringing me out of my shell. Thank you Ms. Wil and Ms. Dumas for encouraging me. To the Crew for keeping me entertained for hours in line before My Chemical Romance concerts: "I am not afraid to keep on living/ I am not afraid to walk this world alone." Comin' through!

Jeremy Mellon

"Knowing yourself is the beginning of all wisdom."

"I don't know anybody's road who's been paved perfectly for them, there are no manuals, you don't know what life has in store for you."

Melissa Mendoza

"Now that it's all said and done. " - Chris Daughtry
It describes my schooling. It came and now that it's over that's it just all fading memories of my past.

Justin Meyers

"We had our time, it was fun while it lasted." -Silverstein
All these years have gone by faster than I can change the color of my hair. It's impossible to fit what I want to say into this paragraph. To my friends, you guys all know who you are, I love you, you're awesome. To my family, thank you so much for everything you've done for me, I love you. To the class of '08, remember the good times.

Rachel Miller

"How many cares one loses when one decides not to be something, but to be someone." I'll always remember cross country and track, and the challenges, experiences, and friendships it has given me. To all my friends, thanks for the memories. To Sarah, you're the greatest sister and friend. You've given me life. And to the class of 2008, live with intention. Good luck.

Molly Moskey

"Pick a path and follow it or sometimes make your own." The last four years of my life have been awesome. I want to thank all my friends, family and teachers, I would have never made it without you. Amanda thanks for everything. I will never forget Lamentation Mt, four wrestling all the nights, and all the fun that I had over the years. Good luck class of 08, peace, "mowel"

Jonathon Mowel

"Energy and persistence conquer all things."

Bryan Murphy

"Life isn't about waiting for a storm to pass, it's about learning to dance in the rain." Throughout my high school years, I have learned that the best way to live is to take your life and do the best you can with what you already have in it, not by trying to be someone you're not. Thanks to my friends and family who have always stuck by me and who came along for this crazy ride, I love you all!!

Casey Murphy

"Character is higher than intellect. A great soul will be strong to live, as well as strong to think."

Thomas Murray

Jeffrey Muzio

Smash Squad '07 Conference Champs, I wouldn't trade you boys for anything. Thanks to the friends who made all my experiences worth while, you know who you are. Thanks to my parents and sister for supporting me through everything I have ever done, without you it would have been rough. To the girl who's closest to my heart, thank you for making me a better person and I want you to know I'm going to love you until you tell me to stop.

Holly Neckermann

"The past could always be annihilated...but the future is inevitable." -Oscar Wilde

Haley Nemeth

"Do your own thing, wherever you have to do it and whenever you want. Drop out. Leave society as you have known it. Leave it utterly. Blow the mind of every straight person you can reach. Turn them on...to beauty, love, honesty, fun." Four years ago, I opened the front doors of BHS as a freshman, and now I close them behind me as a senior. My future ahead of me, the entire world is my playground.

Christine Nguyen

"Futures are obsolete; pasts are unborn (here less than nothing's more than everything)" -e.e. cummings

Elizabeth O'Donnell

"Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail." These past few years have been great; it's amazing how far we've all come. Court, thank you for always being there, you are my best friend and the sister I never had. Girls and guys, it has been a memorable run, I'll never forget you. Mom, Dad, and Mike, I could never have made it without you.

Eric O'Neill

"You only live once, but if you do it right, once is enough." They say high school is the best time of your life, and I finally believe it. To all my friends: I want to thank you for making high school much more fun than it really is. To all my basketball boys, you know how we do it. To Mom, Dad, and Scott: I couldn't have asked for a better, more supportive family.

Daniel Oakes

"I'd rather have huge success and huge failures than travel in the middle of the road."

Paulina Ogibowski

"Life is only what you make of it" These last four years have gone by so quickly and crazy. It's finally time to say goodbye. To my friends, thank you so much for all the crazy memories from indoor track, proms, weekends, always getting lost, and everything else. I'd like to thank my Mom and Dad for always being there. Karol and Sebastian: best brothers a girl could ask for. I love you all. Good luck class of '08!

"We do not remember days, we remember moments" I'll Never Forget, Powderpuff, Prom 06, Helloween, BBQs at Toni's, Rhode Island trips, NYC 07, Car Washes at Midnight, Cape Cod, Kenny Chesney 06, Rascal Flatts 07, Nights at Brian's & Karol's, My Girls & Guys, High school wouldn't have been the same without you. Mom, Dad & Mike, Thanks for always believing in me, Love you guys. Congrats Class of 08!

Kayleigh Olender

"You must be the change you wish to see in the world."

Christopher Ouellette

"Champions are not those who never fail, they are those who never quit." I leave BHS with tons of memories and experiences that I will never forget, tennis, ping pong and poker nights. To all my friends, these last four years have been a blast; so many jokes and funny moments! Mom, Dad and Vin, thanks for always being there for me. Good luck class of 2008.

Michael Pagano

"Character is a diamond that scratches every other stone."

Kathleen Page

"Nothing lasts forever, so live it up, laugh it off, take chances and never have regrets because at one point what you did was what you wanted." These past four years at BHS are the moments I'll never forget. To the few that turned to family- I'll never forget the inside jokes, sleepovers, and car rides. Mom, Dad, and Jay- Thanks for supporting me. I love you. Congrats class of 2008. Live it up!

Victoria Pascua

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." -Eleanor Roosevelt. These past four years at BHS have flown by. I want to thank my closest friends Krishna, Avani, Rupali, Melissa and Vanessa who helped me make the memories that will last forever. Mom, Dad, and family I can't thank you enough for all your love and support. I have learned so much from all of you and my teachers who have always guided me in the right direction. Congrats class of '08.

Medha Patel

"Play for more than you can afford to, lose and you will learn the game."

Rupali Patel

"I'm all out of love, what am I without you?" Sarah you're my best friend. We have had many good times together such as working out six o'clock Thursday mornings, getting mocha frappaklondicbars from Dunkin' Donuts, aka coolattas, and fighting during bio labs. Vinit, I am really going to miss you, even our fights. Geoff & Mandy, I'll miss our fun times like playing 'rock, paper, scissors, Cheney' with the little kids and blasting music in my car.

Tulsi Patel

"Live, laugh and be happy. I spent a lot of time at this place called Berlin High School. I have had good times and bad, and in the end I thank my friends and family for supporting me through my time here.

Kenneth Pausig

"Only make moves when your heart is in it and live the phrase sky's the limit." Firstly, my family, thank you for your support, motivation, and the love you've given me. You mean everything to me. Secondly, my best girls, I love you forever and the times we've shared are unforgettable. Congrats class of '08, we made it!

Larissa Pentalow

"Fear no more the frown o' the great; Thou art past the tyrant's stroke" -W. Shakespeare I'd like to thank all my friends for making my years at BHS the best they could be. We have had some great times in these years such as doing projects for Upbeat (go Green House), late night study sessions, and finishing projects last minute. I would also like to thank my family for everything they have done. To all the seniors, good luck!

Jamie Petronis

"If God brings you to it, he'll bring you through it." -2pac. I had some good times at Berlin High School. I will always remember the football games and the basketball season. Peronace's class was awesome. I'll always remember those crazy weekends, and those priceless soccer games. It was a crazy four years and I want to wish everyone the best of luck after Berlin High School.

Kevin Proffitt

"I demolish my bridges behind me...then there is no choice but to move forward."

Lauren Pucci

"Hard work never killed anybody, but why take a chance?" Thank you to everyone that made high school fun for the past four years. ..I just want to thank my family for all the love and support throughout these four years...Thank you to Mom, Dad, Dan, Jesse...Good luck class of 2008!

Michael Putnam

These past four years at Berlin High School have been great. I have learned a lot during my time here and will use this knowledge for years to come. I would like to thank all of my teachers who went out of their way to help me succeed. I would also like to thank my friends that I made along the way and my mother, father, and Brian for the never ending love and support. Good luck Class of '08!

Thomas Quinn

"A true friend knows your weaknesses but shows you your strengths; feels your tears but fortifies your faith; sees your anxieties but frees your spirit; recognizes your disabilities but emphasizes your possibilities." -William Arthur Ward I would like to thank all my best friends, I wouldn't be here without you guys! Joey, Mario, Chris, Robyn, Phil, and Haley, thank you guys, you truly are the greatest!

Christian Rapp

"The only way of finding the limits of the possible is by going beyond them into the impossible."

Jaime Rasmussen

"The glass is always half full and the rest is opportunity." Make the best of everything: You only live once! High school has been unforgettable. I'll always remember all the times spent with my crew, Jack, the soccer team and track teams. Teddy, you've made me who I am. I love you. Toni, thanks for keeping an eye on me. Mom and Dad, thanks for your love and support. GOOD LUCK CLASS OF 2008!

Mari Rauseo

"Try not to become a man of success but a man of value."

Kyle Rawlings

"The secret of success in life is for a man to be ready for his opportunity when it comes."

Ryan Rector

These 4 years have been the greatest years of my entire life. The best was being blessed with great friends who are dear to me, finding my purpose in life, & understanding what it is that I live for. I was able to broaden my horizons, & find new discoveries. In these 4 years, I liked tapping into my talents, and finding out what I want to do career-wise. High school was awesome, and I'll never forget it.

Ismael Reza

"Success is the good fortune that comes from aspiration, desperation, perspiration and inspiration."

Adrian Riley

"Make the best of the one life you have to live, and live it with no regrets." I will always remember the meadows, lori's house, tj's kitchen, nana's basement, our 2nd house, lizzie's parties, birthdays, prom, homecoming 07, joe's, cruise & Florida. Love you girls. Mom, Dad, Shannon & Daryl thanks for all the love and support.

Briona Ritone

"Turns out not where, but who you're with that really matters." Thanks: Mom, Dad, Mike and Rach. I will never forget hanging out at my house or Amanda's. Late night drives: the honk game and grape juice I will never forget. Thank you to my friends: Sam, Amanda, Cath, Beth?, Meg & everyone else. Thanks to all my teachers and coaches who have helped me become who I am today. Good luck class of '08.

Alexa Rivera

Tyler Rivera

My time at Berlin High School gave me the opportunity to meet some really great friends and teachers. These experiences have left me with a word of thought, if you dream it, believe it and then you can achieve it. Thanks Mom and Dad for all your support.

Veronica Roche

"Don't dwell in the past, don't worry about the future, but live for today." I never thought these four years would go so fast. So many fun and crazy times with my friends also thanks for being there through the hard times. To my family I would have gotten no where with out you, thanks for pushing me to becoming the best I can be, I love you guys!

Brian Rogan

"The best way out is always through."

Adam Romegialli

"He who is not courageous enough to take risks will accomplish nothing in life." - Muhammad Ali. These last 4 years have been an experience never to be forgotten. I will always remember baseball and the "Red Sea". To all my friends, thank you. To my family, Mom, Dad, Ali, Craig, I love you and thank you for all that you have done to help me through these past 4 years.

Derek Roncaioli

"Life can only be understood backward, yet it must be lived forward." The past four years have been crazy between soccer with Franco, Sal and the boys, band trips from Quebec to New Orleans, diving practices of painful landings, endless hours of work and study, and the friends that got me through it all. Thank you to everyone, I will always look back on high school as the greatest time of my life.

Theodore Rosol

"Dream as if you'll live forever. Live as if you'll die today." These past four years have been the greatest years of my life. To the boys, I've never laughed harder, nor had better memories than with you guys. You girls, thanks for being there and knowing how to have a good time. Mari, you're awesome. And to my family, thanks for all the support, I love you all. Live, learn, and never regret.

Nicholas Rubinowski

"I am what I am, and that's all that I am; I am what I am, and that's a hooligan"- Big B. Much clown love to all my fam. Thanks for the help ya'll.

Robert Salerno

"Learn from yesterday, live for today, hope for tomorrow." I will never forget the four years I have spent at BHS, the friends I have made, and the things I have learned. I will always remember the memories I made in Band, Soccer, Upbeat, Chorus, and Track. To all my friends, I will never forget the good times we shared. Mom, Dad, Angela, and Lisa thank you for always supporting me, I love you all.

"Our greatest glory is not in never falling but in rising every time we fall "

Mario Salza

Make the best of the one life you have to live and live it with no regrets. I will always remember the meadows, my house, tj's kitchen, nana's basement, our 2nd house, lizzie's parties, birthdays, prom, homecoming '07, joe's. Love you girls. Mom, Dad, Steve, & Chris; love you guys so much. ,thanks for all your love & support!

Lori Samiotis

"Put me on a mountain, way back in the backwoods. Put me on a lake with biggin on the line. Put me 'round a campfire cookin' something I just cleaned. You do your thing, I'll do mine." Thanks to everyone: Mom, Dad, Katie, Erin, Johnny, Bobby, Dave, all the guys at the fire house, thanks I wouldn't be where I am without you guys. I'll never forget the concerts, fishing, hunting. Good luck 2008.

Christopher Sargis

I'd like to thank the Academy.. Em & Ed- my best friend and my idol, and acting for giving me a passionate life.

Marisa Savic

"The best prize that life offers is the chance to work hard at work worth doing." These have been the best four years of my life. I will always remember my friends and the memories we have made. Special thanks to my family for helping me through these years. Good luck class of '08.

Zachary Scheer

"When life gives you lemons, throw them back and tell life to make its own lemonade." I would like to thank my teachers for all their help (and tolerance) in and out the classroom. I would also like to thank all my friends for always being there for a laugh or two. And, to my family, if it weren't for you, I would never have accomplished as much as I have.

Garrison Schmitt

These past years in high school have been unforgettable, thanks to my family and friends. I love you all. "In this bright future you can't forget your past." - Bob Marley. To my teammates and the senior season, "my everything or nothing" - Smash Squad

Cory Schroder

"I hope that the days come easy and the moments pass slow, And each road leads you where you wanna go, And if you're faced with a choice, and you have to choose, I hope you choose the one that means the most to you. And if one door opens to another door closed, I hope you keep on walkin' till you find the window, If it's cold outside, show the world the warmth of your smile." - Rascal Flatts

Erin Shemeth

Jeffrey Sirois

"We determine our destination, what kind of road we will take to get there, and how happy we are when we get there. "

Sarah Sirois

"All of life is a journey - which paths we take , what we look back on, and what we look forward to is up to us."

Kaley Skoglund

As an important person in my life once said, "four years goes fast." To the volleyball girls, thanks for four years of fun, especially Christina, Meg and Amanda. Basketball- Dad, thanks for being my teacher since 2nd grade. To my friends for unforgettable memories and countless laughs. To Kylie- thank you. To my mom for being my biggest support. And Ar, thank you for all your guidance.

David Skowronek

"Do not wait to strike till the iron is hot; but make it hot by striking."

Karl Skwiot

"He who hesitates is lost."

Andrew Smith

"Do not follow where the path may lead. Go instead where there is no path and leave a trail."

Peter Smith

"A faint heart never filled a spade flush." Mom, A.J., Tom, thanks for all of your help and guidance. I'll never forget primetime, wiffleball, UNO club, poker, and the Red Sea. Thanks to all of my friends and good luck.

Samantha Smolicz

I've learned more in the past four years than I've ever thought was possible. Mom, Dad, Jeff, Jason, and Hannah, thank you for all of your support through gymnastics, diving, and school. Michelle and Kimmy, always and forever girls. Lax, Meg, Beth?, Amanda, Cath and all of the boys, thanks. I'll never forget our late night rides, the honk game, and grape juice. I love you all. Good luck Class of '08!

"Don't aim for success if you want it; just do what you love and believe in it & it will come naturally." I will never forget my experiences I had these past four years like memories from Halloween '06 & '07, Mike's, powderpuff, prom. Thanks to all my girls & guys who's been there for me the whole time; high school wouldn't be the same with out you. Thanks to my family & Bobby who's been here to support me; love you.

Antonia Snell

"The way to gain a good reputation, is to endeavor to be what you desire to appear."

Travis Soaft

"Everything happens for a reason." I will never forget my girls; life without you would be boring. Those crazy and awesome times will never be forgotten. Mom, Dad, Deana, Joanna; thanks for always being there. Love you all. Good luck class of 2008.

Gabrielle Sobilo

"Two roads diverged in a wood, and I -- I took the one less traveled by, And that has made all the difference." -R. Frost Jim, Brandon & Marissa thanks for helping me through the good, the bad and the ugly. You ARE the best! Thanks Mom & Dad for all the love, support, and guidance you have given me through the years. Thanks to my friends & family for all the good times and unforgettable memories!

Christopher Solek

Thanks to my parents, brother, teachers, and coaches for all their support and guidance. Running, swimming, and marching with all my friends have made these past four years, as Upbeat Senior Board says, "SPECTACULAR", but I've put in my time -- goodbye BHS. Good luck Class of 2008.

Michael Soneson

"I hope your dreams take you to the corners of your smiles, to the highest of your hopes, to the windows of your opportunities, & to the most special places your heart has ever known." Congratulations class of 2008 & good luck. P. Hilton, these 4 years of high school would have been nothing without you. Mike, thank you for always being there for me. & to my friends & family, thank you, I love you all.

Jessica Spada

"The guy who invented poker was bright, but the guy who invented the chip was a genius." What would I ever do without poker? Football has been my life for four years and I love the smash squad. I love my family and all my guy and girl friends and I wouldn't be able to do it without you. I'll always remember the good times on the nights and weekends with all my friends.

Michael Spyros

I'll never forget hanging out with the guys. I want to thank my girlfriend, Bre, for always being there and loving me no matter what I did or will do in the future.

Reggie St. Jarre

Alexander Stephenson

"If we do not plant knowledge when young, it will give us no shade when we are old."

Emanuel Story

I came to BHS 4 years ago, not knowing a lot of people or what to expect. I would like to thank my parents who have stood beside me everyday Mr Richards: who has been an amazing sounding board for me, Dr. Benigni who has given me so much support, and Mrs. Ramirez who has helped with my academics and future goals. Thank you all for your support and guidance through high school.

Kathleen Strain

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined."

Krista Sullivan

I will miss the good times I had in high school, but will always have the memories. Thanks to all of my friends for being there for me, and to my teachers for pushing me to my full potential. A special thank you to Mr. Brzezinski and Mr. Warburton for writing the recommendations that got me into the college I wanted. Good luck to all of the underclassmen I have met along the way. I hope you have as good of a senior year as I did.

Joseph Sylvester

"Actions speak louder than words." Thanks Mom, Dad, Sean, and Jeff for everything! You have helped me though a lot, and I love you! Great memories from Cross Country, Basketball, Band, UpBeat, and Boys State will stay with me forever. And to my friends: Patrick, Derek, Zelek, Bobby, Andy, Jeff, Rachael, Alyssa, Meg, Courtney, and Air McNair thanks for being there for me.

Justin Talbot

"And in the end, it's not the years in you life that you count. It's the life in your years." Smash Squad all day, you all became the family that I never had. I'm going to miss the lights and the atmosphere. These past four years have been the best of my life, I will never forget all of the great times with all the best people in the world. Live free and fast, you know who you are.

Jillian Tara

"Imperfection is beauty, madness is genius, and it's better to be absolutely rediculous than absolutely boring." Ive created many memories with friends I will never forget. Thank you guys for always being there, you mean so much to me. Mom, Dad, Adam, & Nick: thanks so much for everything. You believed in me when I didn't believe in myself & I love you so much for that. & Andrew: thanks for always being there for me. Good luck class of '06.

Christopher Teti

"Never though I'd end up like I have. But still you pulled me through just like you always do, the high road that led us here. Ideals we all hold near our hearts...the respect I have for you comes from the heart...For my friends. For my family. For the ones who gave me life." I'll never forget the shows I've played, lessons I learned, and people I met that have shaped my life forever.

"1...2...3...Big ...!!!" -Red Sea chant. I have learned so much in education and in life that I cannot thank everyone enough for what they have done for me. I will remember my chant that the Red Sea did for me for every high school basketball game I played. And to the people who put up with the big fellow, thank you.

Jeremy Thompson

"Hard work = Success" Throughout these past four years of high school I have learned one of the most important things, hard work does pay off. I could not have accomplished all that I have without the support from my parents & siblings, thanks so much. To all my friends, thank you for bringing out the best in me. To the swim teams, thanks for 4 amazing & crazy years, it was definitely a fun road. I will miss all of you so much.

Allison Thurston

"Laugh as much as you breathe, and love as long as you live." These past four years have gone by fast, but will never be forgotten. Thanks to my family and friends for all their love and support. I love you all. My high school years are filled with countless memories. Joey, always and forever, 10/13/05. You mean the world to me. Congratulations and good luck class of '08!

Melissa Trigilio

"Our truest life is when we are in dreams awake."

Kimberly Tynik

"I can't think of anything." The last four years have been filled with all sorts of shenanigans and what not. To everyone involved, it was fun. Thank you to my family, friends, and teachers for all the support you have given me. Good luck to all of you in the future.

David Veronesi

My high school experiences have taught me to value friendship and family while maintaining my individuality. Never forget who you are. I will never forget tailgating before football games or hanging out on weekends. You guys made everything worthwhile. I would like to thank my boyfriend Reggie: the one who is always there when I need him most. I love you. Good luck class of 2008!

Breanne Wacker

"You miss 100% of the shots you never take" -Wayne Gretzkey These past four years have been a blast. I'll never forget the cabin crew and all the good times. Tyler, Allison, Danny, Mom and Dad, thanks for all your love and support.

Matthew Walsh

"If you don't know where you're going, you'll probably end up somewhere else." These last four years have been the best of my life. The memories I have from high school are ones I will carry with me forever. To my friends I just want to thank you for all the memories. We had a lot of fun over the past four years. Mom, Dad, and Sarah I couldn't have done this without you, I love you.

Scott Waskiewicz

Jaimi Welch

"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams."

Jenna Welch

Life is too short so love the one you got 'cause you might get run over or you might get shot."

Corissa Wilson

What a crazy ride it's been! In the recent past I've come to learn that nothing is more important than honoring myself first. Attending far too many whiteboard jungles in the past four hectic years of my education has taught me to open my heart to anyone who's willing to trickle in. Graduation is finally here, my life lies in front of me and my ambitions are ultimately within my grasp.

Amber Witter

"Expect nothing, live frugally on surprise." I remember the first time I entered Berlin High, I would of never knew I would of made it this far. I've learned a great deal of stuff from being here. I've come so far and plan to go further in life with the education I have received from Berlin High. I would like to thank my teachers, my guidance counselor and my parents; they have been very supportive and helpful.

Derek Wnuk

In my four years at Berlin High I have had some good times and some bad times. During those years, I have gotten to know more and more people. I will miss all the friends I have gotten to know who have helped me along the way. I will miss the people in my favorite class, the class of 2008. Good luck in the future. I would like to thank my family: Mom, Dad, Jennifer, and Michelle.

Christopher Wright

"I like the dreams of the future better than the history of the past."

Lindsay Young

"Reality can be beaten with enough imagination." -Mark Twain. High School has been such a great experience through all four years. To all my friends and family, thank you for everything. Girls, paint the town pink.

Kevin Zagorski

"Why tell me the sky is the limit while there are footsteps on the moon?" These past four years at Berlin High really have been a rollercoaster ride. I will never forget Upbeat weekends, DNA models, FIRST in Atlanta, Close Up in D.C., and everything else. Thanks to my family, Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Mirabello, John M, Ben G, the swim team guys, and everyone else who has supported me along the way. A piece of advice to all the graduating seniors: Draw a line, then live above it!

"Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a broken winged bird that cannot fly."

Christina Zappulla

"Never give up on childhood dreams, adulthood affords the opportunity to realize them." Thank you to teachers & administrators that have helped shape me into the person I am today, to my friends that I have had so many good times with and shared so many great memories - may this only be the beginning, to Mom, Dad, Ryan, Rachel & the family for always being there for me. Best of luck Class of 2008.

Andrew Zelek

"There is no happiness except in the realization that we have accomplished something."

Deven Zesk

I'll remember these 2 years I spent in Berlin High School forever! For a person who couldn't speak English at all, I have learned and experienced a great deal in the past 2 years. I'd like to give thanks to my mom and dad who brought me here, my ESL teacher and tutor, and all of you guys in Berlin High School.

Fan Zhou

To all of my close family and friends: thanks for the awesome memories and for always being there. These last four years at Berlin High School were an experience I will always look back upon and never forget.

Cameron Ziegler

"Memory is a way of holding onto the things you love, the things you are, the things you never want to lose." –From the television show The Wonder Years

Laura Hoyer

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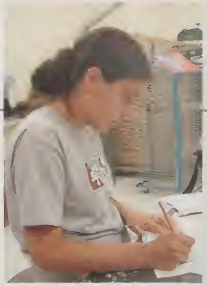

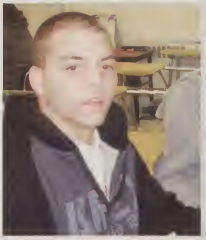

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Favorite Soda

Root Beer

Favorite Football Team

New England Patriots

Favorite Cafeteria Lunch

Breadsticks & cheesesticks

Favorite Hangout Spot

Home

Most Memorable Teachers

Mr. Brittingham
Mrs. Wicklund

Favorite Actor

Will Smith

Favorite Actress

Jessica Alba

Favorite Pizza Place

Bella's Pizzeria

FAVORITES

Favorite Athlete
Derek Jeter

Favorite Baseball Team
Boston Red Sox

Favorite Band/ Musician
Lil Wayne

Favorite Radio Station
93.7

Favorite Class Subject
Science

Favorite Movie
Superbad

Favorite Place to Shop
Westfarms Mall

Favorite TV Show
CSI

WRONG WAY

NO PASSING ZONE

ONE WAY

Superl

Best Smile
Brian Cameron and Lindsay Casasanta

Most Likely to Succeed
Andy DeVivo and Kelly Foy

Most Contagious Laugh
Liz Fragione and Mike Putnam

Most Likely to Move Far Away
Jessi Marino and Matt Karwowski

Mr. and Ms. Congeniality
Drew Zelek and Lisa Marzi

Best Eyes
Anet Czyzewski and Ryan DeGroff

Class Clown
Catherine Heslin and Mike Baczewski

Most Likely to Become a Superhero
Emily Auciello and Izzy Reza

Most Likely to Brighten Up Your Day
Dani Berube and Tim Bisson

Best Hair
Heather Bianca and Tyler Bisson

Best Style
Jeff Muzio and Liz O'Donnell

Best Car
Rachel Miller and Scott Waskiewicz

Most Likely to Take Over the World
Tulsi Patel and Dave Veronesi

Most Theatrical
Lisa DelCegno and John Mattie

Most Athletic
Meagan Guy and John Guzzo

Most Talkative
Mike Putnam and Briona Ritone

Most School Spirit
Christina Zappulla and Peter Smith

Most Unique
Cameron Banks and Casey Murphy

Class Flirt
Mike Spyros, Molly Moskey and Mario Salza

Most Likely to End Up In Hollywood
Mike Pagano and Marisa Savic

Most Attractive
Pat McCandless and Lori Samiotis

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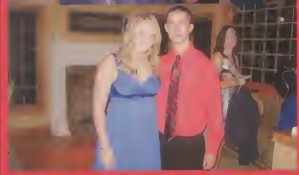

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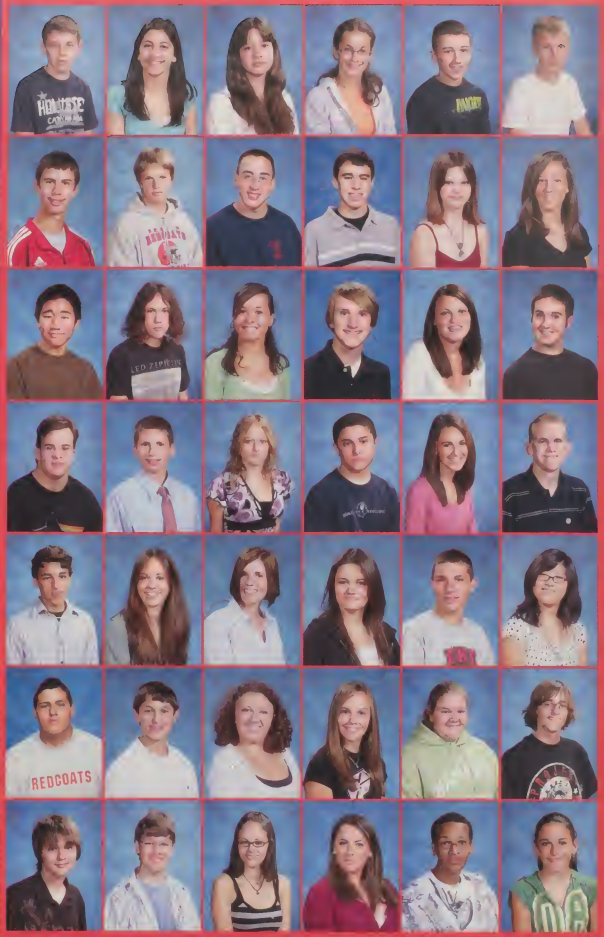

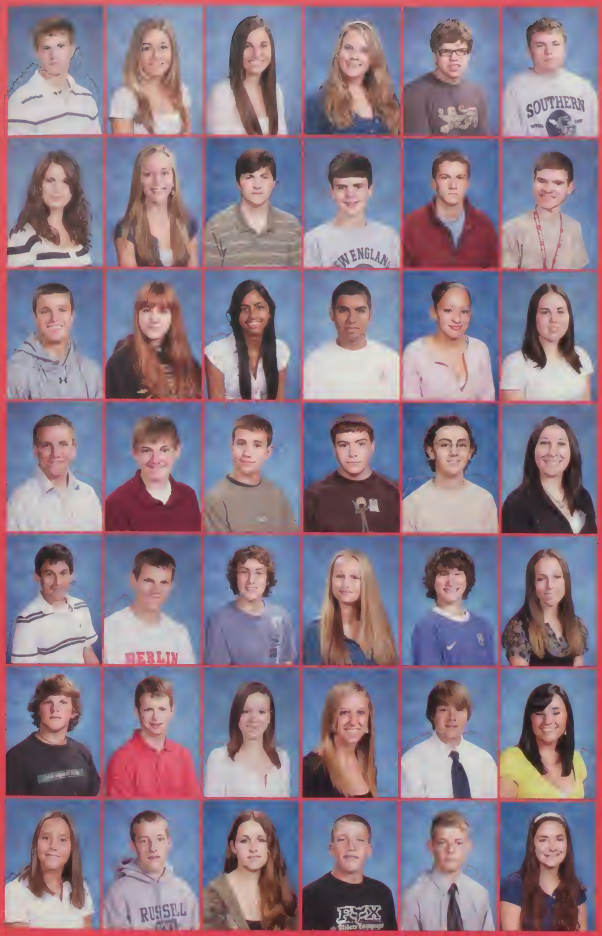

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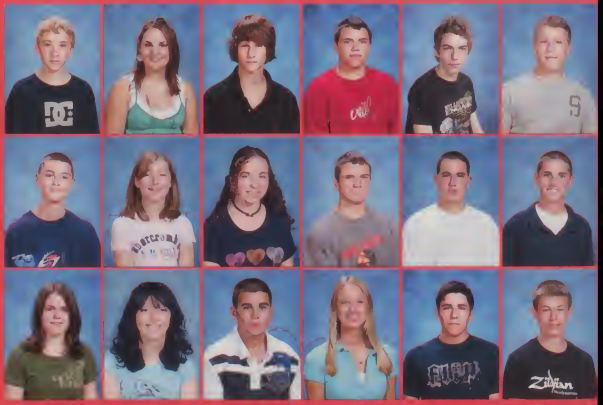

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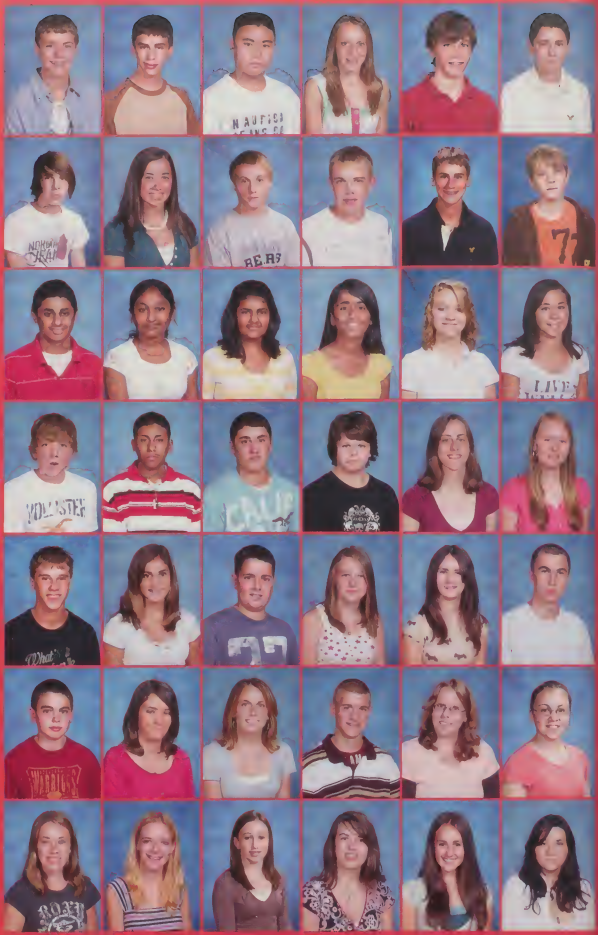

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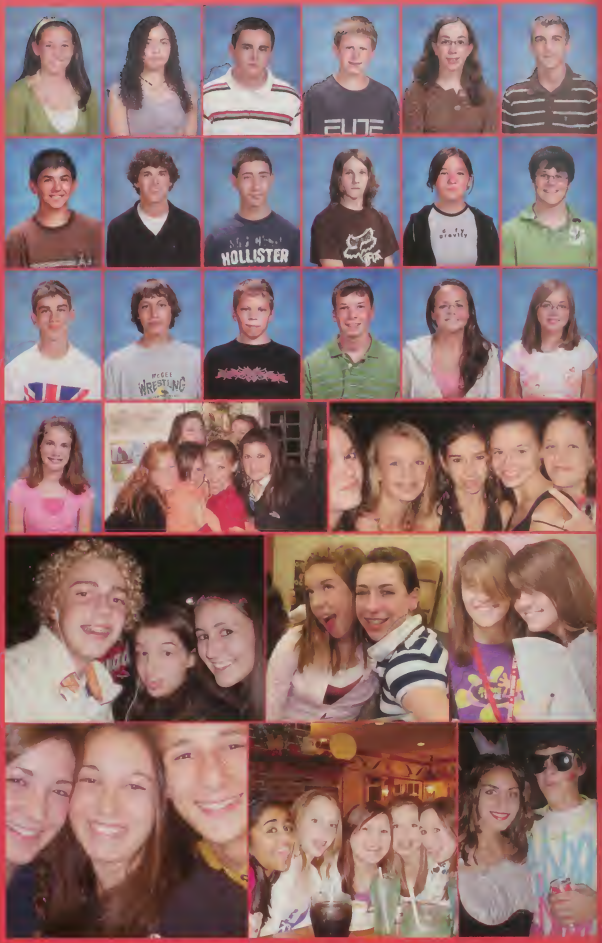

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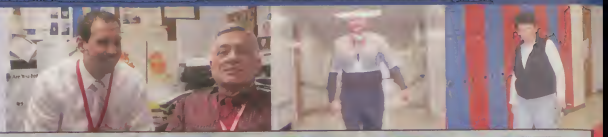

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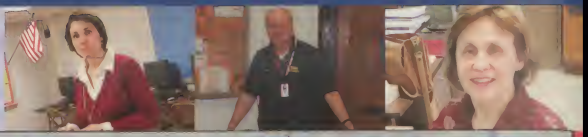

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Mrs. Archer

I graduated from Southern Connecticut State College in 1972 with the hopes of being an art teacher so that I could share the pleasure that I got from making stuff with my students. The career was so much more than I expected.

I didn't know, for example, that I would become not only a teacher, but a mentor, a mother, a counselor, and friend to so many students. Teaching Drawing and Painting was more than strokes on paper or canvas. I didn't know that silence taught more than talk or that I could do best by doing least. When I got my Masters from Central Connecticut State College, I was beginning to learn that every piece of art work was a self portrait of that student at that moment and could tell me so much more about that student than could all the quizzes and projects I might assign. I tried to find interdisciplinary connections to art from different subject areas and draw Math into my curriculum as well as Music and History. I taught Humanities at BHS for a while with Dr. Carol Virostek and awakened to the connections between Art and literature. I hoped to find unusual and unexpected approaches to teaching art and hopefully some students who never saw themselves as artists found that they had a voice in the creation of their art work. The best thing I ever read is the answer to the exam question that started out, I never thought I was an artist, but...

In 1985, I completed a second Masters degree in Movement Studies and Literature at Wesleyan University and became an official risk-taker. Who, in middle age, would attempt a degree in Dance? But Dance, I did and tried to use my example in the hopes of encouraging students who tried to always take the safe path to see potential for the extraordinary in themselves. I became active in the State of Connecticut Teacher Training program known as BEST and was assigned to be a State Teacher in Residence at the State Dept. of Ed. I taught first and second year teachers so that they could gain their CT Teachers Accreditation and had the chance to work with extraordinary teachers from all over the state. I was awarded National Board Certification from the National Board of Professional Teaching Standards in 1994 and finished my 6th Year Degree in Administration at the University of Hartford. I have presented workshops at both the State and National Art Educational Conventions. I hope I did a good job of it.

I have taught Elementary, High School and Adult Education. I've taught Kindergartners and teachers. I still like to make stuff and I like to teach others how to make stuff. I don't think that retiring is going to be the end of that. I still have a lot that I like to do and I dream of continuing to share the pleasure that I take as an artist and teacher. Berlin High School has given me a place to hang out for a while between my hopes and my dreams. Thank-you, Berlin.

"It will be sad to see Chris Archer go. She has been my mentor for 13 years. I seemed to always be learning something new from Chris; a fantastic teacher, wordsmith and leader. She will be greatly missed."
Mr. Raiti

"Teaching with Mrs. Archer for the past 35 years has been a privilege. She is an inspiration to me in many ways - as an educator, an artist, a friend, and person. She never ceases to amaze me in her professionalism, her knowledge, and her insightfulness." - Ms. Wilenski

Chris and I become instant friends when I arrived here in 1992. She, of course, was a veteran teacher and was enormously supportive of my endeavors. The word to describe her which comes to mind first is kindness. She was so kind and understanding. I will always be grateful to her. Other descriptors: professional, dedicated, hard-working, creative, talented. BHS Teacher of the Year - she is all that and more. Lastly I want to acknowledge her courage. Chris has endured physical infirmities and challenges that would have broken the average person. She has never complained or succumbed to self-pity. What I consider her personal mantra is "It is what it is" and I will always associate that philosophy with her. It has been an honor and a privilege to be her colleague, and most of all, her friend." - Mrs. Elliot

Mrs. Elliott

"Over the years, Mrs. Elliott has helped me in so many ways as being a resource for my classes. Her knowledge of media services and her sharing of ideas has led me to develop lessons which were interesting and pertinent to my students. As a friend, I couldn't ask for a better one!" - Ms.Wilenski

Mrs. Elliott's favorites (according to Mrs. Daniels)

1) Buying shoes
2) Buying jewelry
3) Watching the Red Sox
4) Listening to Opera
5) Shopping
6) Drawing moustaches on Bush pictures

"Mrs.Elliott has been my friend and colleague for several years. On a professional level, she has greatly assisted staff and students with research in media. On a personal level, Mrs.Elliott has been a valued friend that shared stories, dark grey mornings and hot cups of coffee to soothe them. Enjoy your retirement Mrs.Elliott...and Go Red Sox!" -Mrs. Ferrill

I am retiring from the Berlin High School Library after 16 years, plus five and one half years at Wolcott High School. I received a liberal arts education at Mount Holyoke College, majoring in English Literature. I pretty much studied what I wished (after the miserable core curriculum requirements) and graduated prepared to do anything and nothing. I married right after graduation and worked as an administrative assistant at the Yale Library while my husband served in Vietnam. We lived in Denver when he returned and when his tour was up, moved back to Connecticut. I worked a while longer at the Yale Library and then I became a mother to my beautiful daughter Amy.

At the urging of my husband, I went to graduate school at the age of 35, and five years later earned a Masters in Library Science. I had to earn so many credits (to get certified in education) that I was advised to go to law school instead. But Library Science appealed to me. I loved to read literature, and moreover, I loved doing research! Writing those papers, however, was not fun at all. I chose to work with high school students, because there was greater opportunity for research.

I earned my MLS in 1987 and much has changed in my field since then. Much has changed in the last 5 years! The Internet was just beginning to influence research strategies. Personal computers were tiny and slow. I used a typewriter for most of my work until about 12 years ago. Now Library Science is really Information Technology.

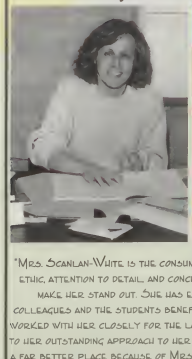
Though information technology has revolutionized research, the major challenges of teachers and librarians remain: encouraging students to read and evaluate the material(s) they are using. Poor reading and writing skills affect the learning of students across the curriculum.

Being a high school library media specialist was a natural choice for me. I come from a family of educators; my entire nuclear family was involved with education at some level. My husband, Stuart A. Elliott, former principal of North Haven High School, was my greatest personal and professional inspiration. Though he died three weeks before I began my time here at BHS, I still benefit from his wisdom and dedication.

I have spent much time and effort to improve the print collection in our library. I have enjoyed selecting the books and offering them to our staff and students. We have kept up with changes in technology, as much as our budget permits. I have worked with many terrific students in the past 16 years. It has been an honor and a privilege to work with many of my colleagues here at BHS and I will miss them.

I wish you farewell and all the best in your future endeavors! I think I hear Block Island calling my name.

Mrs. Scanlan-White



"Mrs. Scanlan-White is the consummate professional. Her work ethic, attention to detail, and concern for student performance make her stand out. She has earned the respect of her colleagues and the students benefit from her experience. Having worked with her closely for the last several years, I can attest to her outstanding approach to her career. Berlin High School is a far better place because of Mrs. Scanlan-White." - Mr. Bosso

How long have you been teaching at BHS? **20 years, 38 years altogether**

What was your college experience like? **I am a graduate of Central Conneticut State University with a bachelor's degree in elementary education, master's degree in K-12 Reading, and sixth year degree as K-12 Reading Consultant**

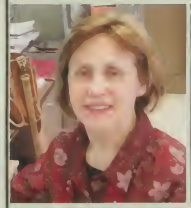
When did you decide you wanted to become a teacher? **I decided to become a teacher when I was about ten years old. I enjoyed helping the youngsters in the neighborhood. (At that time a female chose one of two careers- that of teaching or nursing.) I am very happy to have chosen education. I love what I do.**

What is your favorite aspect of teaching? **Working with young adults, attempting to help them prepare for their future, to see the value in reading - every day is different- I also appreciate working with other teachers who have the same goals.**

What is your advice for those who wish to pursue a career in education? **Teaching consumes a large part of your life, you will never be bored, you are constantly learning, it is a hard job that is very fulfilling**

Who inspired you to go into teaching? **All adults who took time to recognize and respect me as an individual, who cared enough to teach me**

If I have helped one student recognize the value of reading and an education then I think I can feel I have accomplished my goal. Thank you to all educators and students who have been part of my life as a teacher.



"Marilyn is the consummate professional. Working with her is a lesson in efficiency and dedication. While she is really a "behind the scenes" sort of person, she has been a driving force within Berlin High School for twenty years or so. With Marilyn, the students ALWAYS come first and she has served them, and the school, very, very, well." -Mr. Warburton

"Marilyn Scanlan White has encouraged and supported the love of reading among both students and staff at Berlin High School for two decades. Through her coordination of Read Across America Day, student-faculty reading groups, and the town-wide reading program "One Book, One Berlin," Marilyn has had a positive impact on our school that goes well beyond the students in her reading classes and the teachers with whom she has collaborated on promoting literacy across the curriculum. As a colleague and a friend, I will miss my hallway conversations with Marilyn about books, teaching, family, and travel--in her retirement I know she will continue to be actively engaged in all of these in one way or another! To Marilyn--best wishes and happy reading!" -Mr. Silva

"Marilyn has provided a safe and effective place for Berlin students to improve their reading skills. Her contributions have quietly ensured that all our students are served, and that they all leave here capable and confident readers. as one of Marilyn's Senior portfolio partners, I've always been impressed by her facility at getting to the essentials of issues and setting up workable solutions. She'll be tough act to follow, and we'll all miss her cheerful presence." - Mr. Scannell

Ms. Wilenski

"Marsha Wilenski has become a close friend and confidant. I've learned a lot by watching Marsha interact with her students. She is fair and firm, yet shows genuine compassion. Her students know she cares about them and their work. I've been blessed to have worked with two such outstanding women and only hope I can pass on some of what they have left to the new recruits." - Mr. Raiti

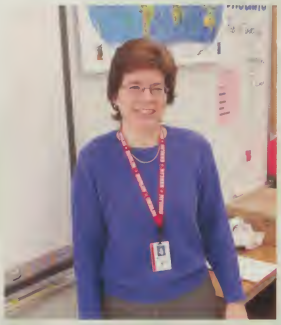
How long have you been teaching at BHS? **35 years**
Where did you attend college and what are your degrees? **Southern Connecticut State University Degrees BS and MS in Art Education**
Why did you decide to become a teacher? **To share my love for art with others**
What is your favorite class to teach? **All classes - I enjoy 2 and 3 dimensional art, painting, drawing, ceramics, sculpture, etc.**
What is your favorite aspect of teaching? **Inspiring students**
What advice do you have for students in general? **Believe in yourself; never doubt what you can accomplish; do the best you can; follow your dreams; be yourself**
What advice do you have for students who wish to pursue a career in education? **You have to love to teach - to motivate, inspire stuents - you have to be enthusiastic and patient, to work hard, and put in extra hours**
Do you have any unusual talents or interests that characterize your personality? **Nothing unusual - I love geology, archeology, history, meteorology, and theology**
Who or what is your inspiration? **My art teachers throughout the years**
What is your favorite part of being a teacher? **Seeing the look on a student's face when they made something they never thought they could**
How has teaching influenced your life? **It's made me want to learn more and more**
How do you usually prepare a lesson? **Through research - I do the lesson myself**
Do you believe that you have been able to influence a student's life or get them interested in that subject? **Yes, many times**
What is the most difficult aspect of teaching? **Trying to motivate a student who is totally not interested**
What advice would you give to any future teacher who would someday teach the same topics? **Love the subject you are teaching, let you enthusiasm for the subject carry over to students to motivate them**
What do you plan to do with your time after reitrement? **Travel, do artwork - Stop and smell the roses**

"Ms. Wilenski is the consummate crafts person. She encourages her students to create in most unique ways. She is definitely in the forefront of the Green Movement. She uses all kinds of scraps, leftovers and donations in a most unique way." - Mrs. Daniels

"'Ms. Wil' was how I came to know Marsha. Her students love her and her classes are very popular. We have grown close over the years, sharing and caring. This year we collaborated on a library/art project to improve her students' reading, writing, and library skills. I think Marsha will long be remembered at Berlin High School, not only as a talented potter and calligrapher, but as a thoughtful, caring mentor to her students. Her patience and understanding gave her students the confidence to find the artist within each of them."
- Mrs. Elliot

Mrs. Salerno

Teacher of the Year



"It is a pleasure teaching across the hall from Mrs. Salerno. I admire her very much for the way in which she engages her students and promotes a positive learning environment in her classroom. She is someone I can laugh with and who I can depend on - she is an asset to our teaching staff." -Ms. Romano

"Mrs. Salerno is highly qualified and one of the best department chairs that we've had in Berlin High School."
- Mr. McNulty

From my first job teaching 7th grade science to the many years teaching at Asnuntuck Community College and working with student teachers at CCSU, I have thoroughly enjoyed my career. I simply love to learn and with teaching, you learn something new every day. It's always a challenge, but it's always different.

I've been working in education since I graduated from UCONN in 1975 with a B.A. in Biology, Chemistry and Secondary Education. I also have a M.A. in Environmental Biology from CCSU and am working on my 6th year in Educational Leadership at SCSU. I have been teaching Biology and Chemistry at Berlin High for the past eight years. I've enjoyed looping years the best. These are the years when I have 10th graders in Chemistry and again the following year in Biology. We get to know each other really well and they succeed because there are no surprises. They are comfortable with my teaching style and I know how best to help them learn.

Students often ask me why I became a science teacher. Sometimes I joke and tell them that it was the furthest I could get from what my mother wanted me to do to be a Home Economics teacher. Many different things interested me and it was hard to choose. I was always involved in music, liked languages and cultures, but found nature and science fascinating. I was and still am happiest when I'm outside. My favorite place has always been the beach. It's full of energy and serene at the same time. Trying to understand all of the processes taking place in that one environment lead me to a career in science.

Some of the best learning in my classes stems from stories - personal experiences, different environments I've been to, things or creatures I've seen. It's a way to engage and make connections. My advice to future teachers - make it real, enjoy the moment, and always look for the humor in everything."

EVENTS

Allyson Martin, Kelly Cantafi, Brianna Zuk, and Rebecca Arscott show off their outfits.

Justin Damato and Tessa Cugno goof off for the camera.

Rebecca Arscott and Angelina Mancarella

Spirit Week

We kicked off the 2007-2008 school year by showing our school spirit during spirit week!

Rebecca Farr and Katie Schreiner in the 70's

Tuesday was Patriotic Day!

Everyone showed their pride in our country by wearing red, white, and blue.

Wednesday was Celebrity Day!

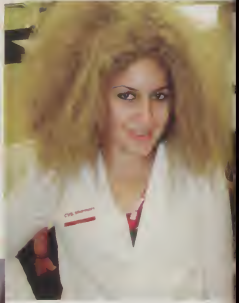
Students dressed up like their favorite celebrities.

Thursday was Decade Day!

Seniors wore 80's inspired outfits while the Juniors wore clothes from the 70's, Sophomores wore outfits from the 60's, and Freshman wore outfits from the 50's.

Friday was Team Day!

Berlin High School athletic teams dressed in their uniforms to show team unity.



Above: Ani Hovhannisyan all dressed up on Celebrity Day. Below: Elizabeth Dunham, Katie Schreiner, and Allison Sturgeon showing their USA pride by wearing red, white, and blue.

Sophomore girls on Decade Day.

Rebecca Farr and Angelina Mancarella smile for the camera.

Alyssa Bozzuto, Sierra Irizarry, Angelina Mancarella, Gina Scacca, and Rebecca Arscott pause from dancing and pose.

Eric Pick and Kevin Moss bring down the house with their dance moves.

Spirit Dance!

All throughout Spirit Week, we showed our school spirit and that Friday, the cheerleaders hosted a Spirit Dance to show what their school spirit is all about.

Kimberly Camosci, Cassandra Clavette, and Erica Bukowski gather together for a picture.

Gina Scacca, Christina Zappulla, Evelyn Szczygla, Courtney Spada, and Alyssa Bozzuto gather together during the Spirit Dance and smile for the camera.

Above: Eric Pick break dances.
Below: Ana Dauphin and Chris Matlack on the dance floor.

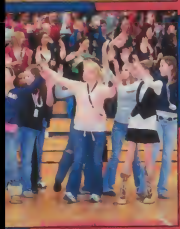
HOMECOMING 2007

Berlin Fair

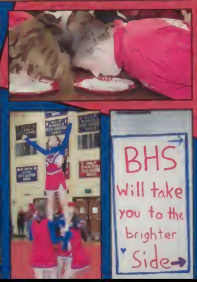
Halloween

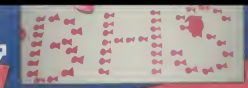
PEP RALLY

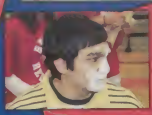
Bottom: Cory Schroder gets ready to throw a t-shirt.



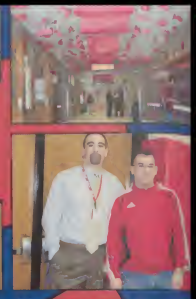
Top: Color guard shows their spirit by dancing to Thriller.



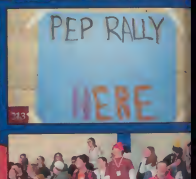




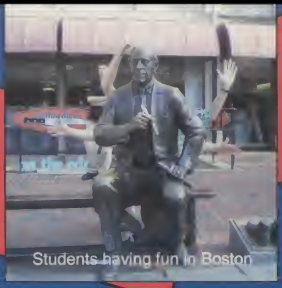
Above and Right: The seniors win the decorating contest with their Red Sea



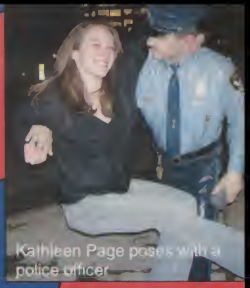
Top: Mr Bosso and Mr. Francalangia smile for the camera. Bottom: Mr. Arnold gets ready to hype up the crowd & Dan Erickson tries to block a goal.



Ben Bagliardi and John Mattie at the Breakers



Students having fun in Boston



Kathleen Page poses with a police officer

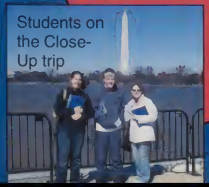
FIELD TRIPS

The Redcoat Band aboard the USS Intrepid in NYC

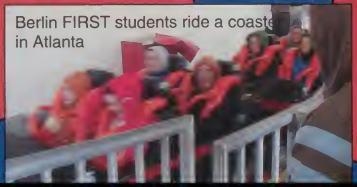
Students gearing ready for a flight to D.C. on Close Up

Band students at Betsy Ross House

A few lucky students get a picture with Senator Barack Obama



Students on the Close-Up trip



Berlin FIRST students ride a coaster in Atlanta

Dan Erickson in New Orleans

Crank it up to 11...

The Berlin Music Scene

Above: Alan Huck drumming for **My Heart To Joy At the Same Tone**

"I came up for one last breath And found again, this six-sided prison. I think if I could figure out its mystery, Maybe then I could figure out myself."
-Cry Havoc
The Conflix

Seeking Serenity drummer, Matt Walsh

Above, **SubVerso**, from left to right: Ryan Kalentkowski, Deryck Bosse, Brian Paul

Top, the members of **Bide Our Time**, including Chris Teti, far left, and Zach Zembko, second from left

Left: Cody Fontes of **The Conflix** on drums

The Conflix from left to right: Ian Young, Kevin Anderson, and Jon Harrington

Left: Zach Zembko on drums, for **Bide Our Time**

Top Right: Tyler Bisson on vocals and guitar for his band, **Inside Joke**.

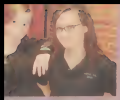
Below: Dan Erickson on bass for **Inside Joke**

"All we had to do was stand up."
- True Levell-ers
My Heart To Joy At the Same Tone

"Enclosed by broken bridges,
Another loss at sea.
I'm cutting all my losses,
These sails will set me free."
- Saddam Hussein Double Parks
Bide Our Time

Above: Chris Teti of **Bide Our Time** jams on his guitar

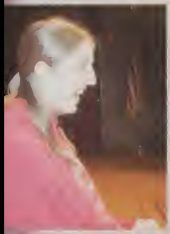
CLUBS



Drama Club

Drama Club is a perfect place to share some laughs, meet new people, and act like youself!

Where a **STAR** is born



Drama Club presents:

The Crucible

Above: BriZuk, Alyssa Barrett and Kelly Shemeth

A small group of teen girls in 1692 Salem, Massachusetts caught in an innocent conjuring of love notions to catch young men are forced to tell lies that Satan had invaded them and forced them to participate in the rites and are then forced to name those involved. Thrown into the mix are greedy preachers and other major landowners trying to steal others' land and one young woman (DeCenno) infatuated with a married man (Joseffy) and determined to get rid of his innocent wife (Kalman). Arthur Miller wrote the events and the subsequent trials where those who demanded their innocence were executed, those who would not name names were incarcerated and tortured, and those who admitted their guilt were [illegible] freed as a parable of the Congressional Communist witch hunts led by Senator Joe McCarthy in 19[illegible] America

Above: Cast and Crew of "The Crucible" Top Right: Lisa DeCenno [illegible] Rubin, and [illegible] Michelle Wilson

Berlin High School Proudly Presents:

Annie

In the depths of the 1930's, Annie (Stephanie Swiatek) is a fiery young orphan girl who must live in a miserable orphanage run by the tyrannical Miss Hannigan (Lisa DelCegno). Her seemingly hopeless situation changes dramatically when she is selected to spend a short time at the residence of the wealthy munitions industrialist, Oliver Warbucks(John Mattie). Quickly, she charms the hearts of the household staff and even the seemingly cold-hearted Warbucks cannot help but learn to love this wonderful girl. He decides to help Annie find her long lost parents by offering a reward if they would come to him and prove their identity. However, Miss Hannigan, her evil brother, Rooster(Robert Cote), and a female accomplice, plan to impersonate those people to get the reward for themselves which put Annie in great danger.

"Some women are drippin' with diamonds
Some women are drippin' with pearls
Lucky me, lucky me, look at what I'm drippin' with
Little girls"!

Sandy(Bailey)

"The sun'll come out tomorrow, so you gotta hang on till tomorrow, come what may. Tomorrow, tomorrow, I love ya, tomorrow, you're only a day away."

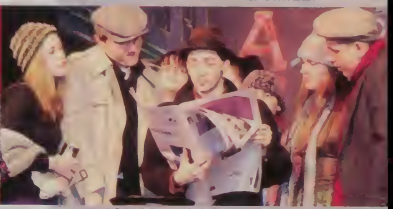
But Mr. Oliver Warbucks (John Mattie) and Grace Farrell (Krista Sullivan) come to save poor Annie from the Orphanage.

The villains: Miss. Hannigan (Lisa DelCegno), Lily St. Regis (Lindsay Young) and Rooster (Robert Cote) are taken the Easy Street out of their misary of having completely nothing!

"Easy Street, Easy Street, that's where I want to be!"

"Your Never Fully Dressed Without a SMILE!"

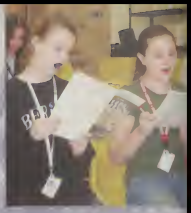
"Gussie Her Up, Gussie Her Up"



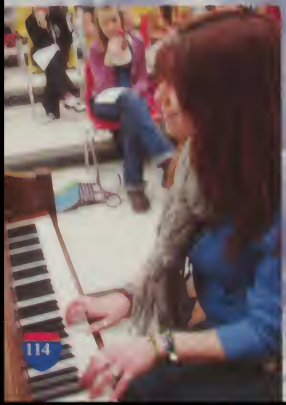
"OH MY GOODNESS!"

Berlin High School's

Chorus



"Concert Choir, Chorale and Advanced Vocal make up the largest performing ensemble known as Chorus. It is truly wonderful to hear all of the voices blended together in a performance. I think the highlight of the year was seeing the audience rise to their feet while applauding as the last note of the Holiday Concert was fading away."
- Mr. Kelly



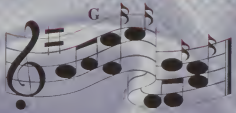
The students in chorus class singing while Jenna Welch plays the piano

Madrigals

" 'Mads' has a lot of new faces this year. The leadership of the seniors has been critical for our success. We have experienced many amazing musical moments both in practices and performances. It takes a lot of effort and focus to perform music of this genre. The Madrigal Singers are truly an amazing group of young musicians."

- Mr. Kelly

Jazz Choir

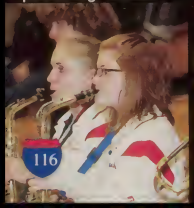


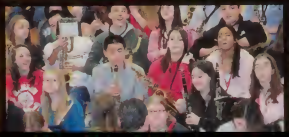
Band

The marching band performs during the football games

above: Allison Thurston, Tulsi Patel, Sarah Schaller, Kelly Foy, Dan Erickson and Molly Moskey pose before performing "Thriller"

left: Dan Erickson entertains the crowd during a pep rally
right: Tyler Bisson jams out with the band





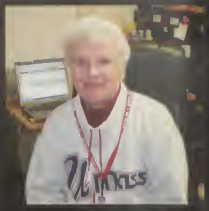
above: Kelly Foy smiles for the camera

above: The wind ensemble poses for a picture.
below: The members of the jazz band in a group shot.
right: Members of the color guard and band have fun

The band entertains the crowd during half time at a football game.

left: the marching band plays during the football championship.
bottom: the marching band performs during half time.

Berlin Upbeat



Upbeat Director Alice Mitchell

20 Years and Stronger Than Ever!

Upbeat Coordinators

"Being a part of Upbeat for the past four years has been an amazing experience. I have gained so many leadership skills that are going to help me in life. Participating in Upbeat has given me many opportunities to help those who need it. Above all, I have made so many friends and memories in Upbeat."

"Upbeat has influenced my life in many ways and helped me grow as an individual. I will always remember meeting new people, hanging out in the Upbeat room and up at Camp Woodstock."

"Upbeat has meant so much and given so much to me. It's given me tons of skills for later in life and too many memories with my closest friend to even count."

"For the past four years Upbeat has been a big part of my life. There have been countless good times doing projects and on weekends. Upbeat has been a supportive family in tough times and it is a program I am proud to be a leader of."

"Through the Upbeat program I have learned many leadership skills. I grew as a leader and as a person. The program has had a great impact on my life and has helped me to positively impact others. I will carry the leadership skills, Upbeat memories, and great times with me forever.

National Ho

Inductees: Shayne Anderson, Erica Barnes, Courtney Bowes, Kimberly Carrocci, Kelly Centafi, Sean Cass, Roseann Colangelo, Carson Collier, Timothy Cole, Ariel Czyzewski, Michelle Davy, Christina DeConto, Amanda Dwoczok, Christina DeSimone, Mary Dickenson, Taylor Friedmann, Hannah Furlong, Joanna Guziewicz, Joseph Harrison, Michael Imundo, Mateusz Kalisz, Michelle Kiss, Amy Klotz, Heather Kolodziej, Bradley Lepak, Casey Lupini, Stephanie Luu, Kelly Manning, Christine Maroon, Sarah Matulis, Jonathan Mercier, Katrina Nygren, Geoffrey Pac, Rupali Patel, Francesca Pedemonti, Kathleen Perzanowski, Lindsay Piotrowicz, Lauren Pucci, Thomas Quinn, Lindsey Roeder, Justin Roncaioli, Sarah Schaller, Vanessa Swenton, Ellen Swol, Iwona Szdylik, Katherine Vandrilla, Breana Vessichio, Breanne Wacker, Mark Wagoner, Arielle Wezdenko, Kelly Wilcox, Kevin Zagorski, Fan Zhou

nor Society

President- Bethany Horbal Vice President- Andrew DeVivo

Secretary- Patrick King Treasurer- Tedoy Rosol

Current Members: Tyler Bisson, Caitlyn Brodeur, Brian Cameron, Lisa Chimbar, Meghan Conway, Justin Crim, Matthew DelConte, Matthew Dutkiewicz, Kelly Foy, Benedict Gagliardi, John Guzze, Anthony La, Tara Laviana, Kristin Legenza, Hilary Little, James Luczynski, Madeline Luddy, John Mattie, Rachel Miller, Casey Murphy, Haley Nemeth, Christine Nguyen, Elizabeth O'Donnell, Kathleen Page, Tulsi Patel, Jaime Rasmussen, Derek Roncaioli, Marisa Savic, Garrison Schmitt, Jeffrey Sirois, Kaley Skoglund, Michael Soneson, Krista Sullivan, Jillian Tara, Allison Thurston, Lindsay Young

Clubs

Phantasmagoria

Phantasmagoria, BHS's literary magazine, gives students and faculty an outlet for their literary and artistic works. The club publishes at least one magazine per year, which is filled with beautiful creative works such as poetry and works of art.

Ophelia Club

Ophelia Club is a small service club that recycles paper, cans, and bottles for BHS. Throughout the school year they also organize several events to benefit charity such as the School Turkey and School Sweetheart drives. Ophelia also sponsors the blood drives for the American Red Cross.

Future Teachers of America

This club includes hardworking, dedicated students who aspire to teach. Members shadow teachers to gain hands-on experience and to learn the reality of being a teacher.

Peer Mediation

The purpose of the peer mediation program is to engage students in problem-solving. The program is confidential, developed to deal with conflicts between students in a controlled, productive manner. Peer mediators receive intense training in communication problem-solving, conflict resolution, and management skills.

Clubs

Student Government

Members are active with the Homecoming committee in addition to representation on school-wide committees, community service, funding several programs, and class representation of pertinent issues, among other responsibilities.

WERB Radio Club

WERB (94.5) is for students interested in being a DJ, radio host, public speaker, news journalist, sports announcer, or music promoter. Our radio club members learn how to operate broadcast equipment, communicate to a LIVE radio audience, develop a weekly radio show, and follow the rules and regulations of the FCC.

FIRST Robotics

Berlin FIRST builds robots designed by the team, then competes at Regional and National competitions. The FIRST Robotics Competition is an exciting, multinational competition that teams up professionals and young people to solve an engineering design problem in an intense and competitive way.

Japanime

A sanctuary for anime fans and for anyone interested in Japanese culture. We screen a variety of anime series where club members can enjoy and react to what they are watching. Various activities and interactive games also take place which helps us express our creative sides. It is a comfortable environment and is facile to socialize in and meet people with the same interests.

Clubs

Service League

Members of the Service League are very involved in the school and community. They complete annual projects such as the CAPT breakfast, the senior citizen's Christmas party, and the National Honor Society induction, among many others.

Ski Club

The Ski Club is a new club. Activities include ski-racing and recreational skiing as well as exploration of ski industry careers and jobs.

Future Engineers/TSA

The Future Engineers/TSA Club is a student organization dedicated to those interested in the fields of engineering and technology. TSA stands for Technology Student Association, which is a national organization that hosts over 60 competitions annually. A variety of fun activities, guest speakers, field trips, and local competitions are planned.

Magic 101

Magic 101 is a club where students can meet and play Magic The Gathering. Magic The Gathering is a turn based, strategy card game that requires skill. The game can end up lasting from five minutes to five hours. The game is complicated at first but we enjoy teaching new people, trading and tournaments. This game is not relative to Pokemon or Yu-gi-oh. When playing Magic, strategy gives you the upper hand.

Clubs

AIDS/Poverty Club

New to the high school this year, the AIDS/Poverty club is dedicated to raising awareness and money for those living with AIDS/HIV, and for those living well under the poverty line.

Science Club

Science Club meets to learn, investigate, and better the environment for future generations. While accomplishing the above goals, members learn about the newest technology and have fun. The club is open to all students, especially those interested in technology and outdoor experiments.

Debate Club

Debate club is a group of students who come together to practice their public speaking skills, as well as their talents of persuasive argument, and their research techniques. Each week students work towards the next debate by researching and practicing. The club also attends the yearly debate tournaments at Yale University.

Electrathon

Electrathon is a national organization that competes in many states. This club involves designing, building and racing a battery powered, student driven vehicle that can reach speeds of 40 miles per hour. The hour long race takes place twice a year at Lime Rock Race Track in Lakeville, CT and the vehicle that completes the most laps wins.

Clubs

Bike Club

The Bike Club is a combination of physically active students and teachers that partake in weekly rides according to the ability of the group. Destinations include Bicentennial Park and Lamentation Mountain.

International Club

The goal of International Club is to create an international awareness within the walls of BHS through a great number of fundraisers in order to help the less fortunate people of the world.

Acoustic Club

A great place to have fun and rock out! Over 30 musically interested individuals meet regularly to teach, learn, and have fun with acoustic instruments.

Clubs

Redcoat Review

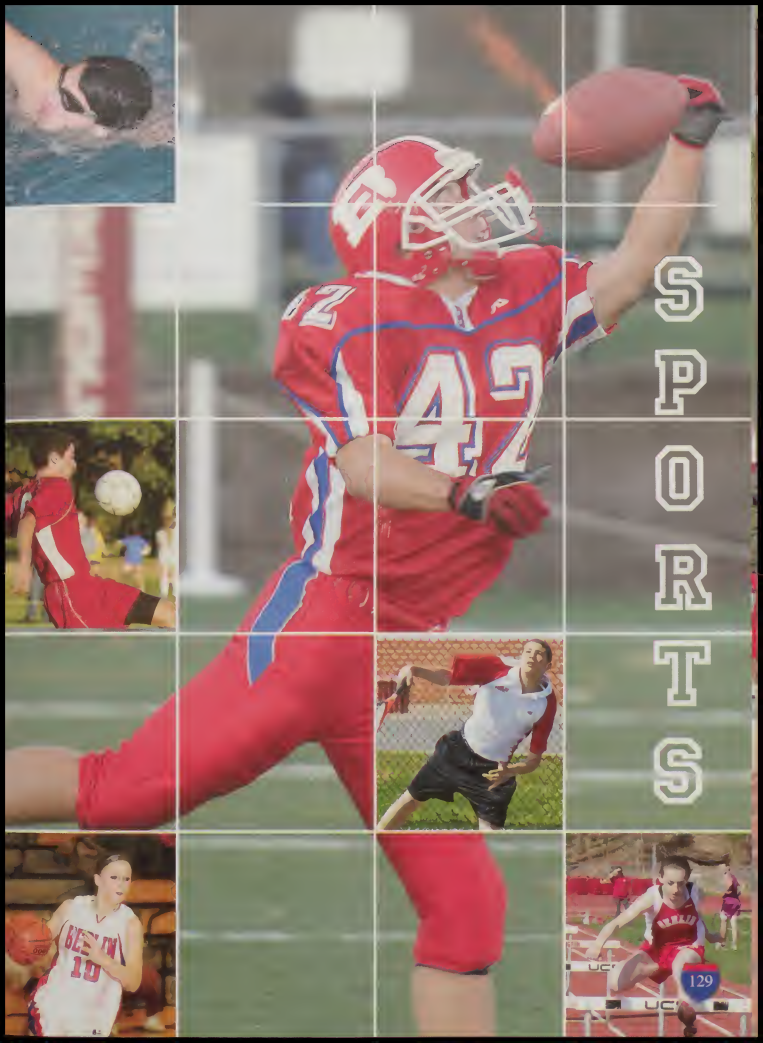
The school newspaper is dedicated to providing BHS students with a forum to voice their opinions and interpretations of current local and global happenings.

Fishbones

This club meets weekly to discuss various aspects of fishing. Members of this club go on fishing field trips in the fall and spring. This club is open to all students, no experience is necessary.

Floor Hockey

Floor hockey members meet and compete during Y period. Teams are formed and competition becomes fierce. The club provides a great opportunity for exercise and fun.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2007 CLASS M CHAMPIONSHIP

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2007 CLASS M SEMIFINAL

11/27/07 Bristol Eastern W 35-28

Left: 2007 Captains Jimmy Connelly, Cameron Johnson, and Jack Cooper. **Above:** Jimmy Connelly passes off to Cooper during a game. **Right:** Jack Cooper sprints through the defensive line. **Below:** Cooper and Pat King on the offense.

FOOTBALL

"The 2007 football season proved to be a memorable season. We won the Nutmeg division, qualified for the CIAC State Playoffs for the 4th consecutive season, and won the school's first playoff game. We are losing a terrific group of Senior Football players who are a special group of student athletes on and off the field. The 2007 "smash squad" will be remembered as hard-working, dedicated, and committed to excellence."
-Coach Capodice

Regular Season: 9-1

SCOREBOARD

		Berlin		Opponent
9/14	Cheney Tech	44	-	0
9/22	St. Paul	40	-	19
9/28	Plainville	48	-	6
10/06	Enfield	47	-	34
10/12	Farmington	57	-	0
10/20	Northwest Catholic	6	-	34
10/26	Rocky Hill	20	-	7
11/02	RHAM	34	-	13
11/10	Middletown	29	-	19
11/16	East Catholic	43	-	6

CHEERLEADING

Above: Tessa Cugno and the team show off their moves at the pep rally. Below: Rebecca Calafiore makes balance and flexibility seem easy.

"Through the ups and downs over the past four years the team has been able to grow and bloom into what it is today: CHAMPIONS!! Keep up the good work girls, we love you all!" - Sarah and Angelina Captains '08 "We're Back!"

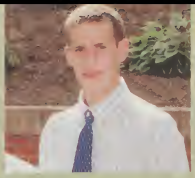
Above: the team poses for a picture Right: seniors Lisa Chimbar, Angelina Mancarella, Sarah Johnson, and Christina Zappulla. Left: the girls keep warm during half time at a football game. Below: The girls decorate the boy's locker room before the big game

POWDERPUFF

Top left to right: the girls setting up for a play, the seniors in a huddle, girls on the side lines, Jaimi Welch, Lindsay Young, and Jillian Tara pose after the victory, and the senior girls before the game. **Below:** the senior girls run the ball, friends pose before the game, seniors waiting to be subbed in, and the seniors stare down the juniors before the game.

Chris Ouellette

Bobby Salerno



Derek Roncaioli

Men's Soccer

"It's not always about winning or losing, but rather who you spend your time with. You can ask any of the seniors and they will tell you that what started as just a team four years ago became something of a brotherhood this season for Berlin Men's Soccer. The season had its ups and downs, but win, lose, or tie, we all went through it together. We supported one another both on and off the field through the rough times and the great times. The team and I would like to thank Coach Francalangia and Coach Parafati for their time and efforts. Over our four years on the soccer team both I and the seniors learned a great deal about the game and about how to reach goals that we thought were unattainable. Thanks again for all of the memories, the great coaching, and the genuine love of the game." - Bobby Salerno

Above: Kevin Moss about to make a daring move to score. **Left:** Derek Roncaioli warming up before a big game.

Above: Coach Francalangia giving his boys a pep talk before the game. **Left:** Dan Erickson stealing the ball from his opponent. **Below:** Bobby Salerno going for the goal.

Scoreboard

Opponent	Score
Northwest Catholic	0-2
Plainville	0-0
RHAM	1-2
East Catholic	0-3
St. Paul	1-0
Farmington	0-4
Rocky Hill	0-4
Middletown	0-1
Northwest Catholic	2-1
Plainville	0-1
RHAM	0-4
St. Paul	3-0
Farmington	0-3
Rocky Hill	0-1
East Catholic	2-5
Middletown	1-2

Left: Justin Roncaioli preparing to deny another goal. **Below:** Ethan Berube is focused on the game.

Below: The senior boys having a little fun before a big game.

WOMEN'S SOCCER

The Women's Soccer Team had a very successful season finishing in the state semifinals. The team is coached by Steve Yanosy.

Clockwise: The team huddles, Julia Gotta redirects the ball, Mari Rauseo and Casey Murphy plays tough defense, Nikki Kureska takes control over the ball, Amy Ouellette handles the ball, a player kicks the ball, the seniors, and Mari in charge of the ball.

From top: The BHS women's soccer team, Blair Ferry kicks the ball, Hilary Little recieves the ball, Senior Captains Caitlyn Brodeur and Hilary Little, the defensive team saves the ball from being scored, Blair Ferry, Kristin Legenza, and Nikki Kureska focusing on the game, and Casey Murphy handling the ball.

SCOREBOARD

Team	Us	Them
Northwest Catholic	4	0
Plainville	0	0
RHAM	1	1
East Catholic	1	0
St. Paul's	6	0
Farmington	0	0
Rocky Hill	2	0
Middletown	4	0
Northwest Catholic	0	1
Plainville	3	0
RHAM	2	0
East Catholic	0	1
St. Paul's	6	0
Farmington	1	2
Rocky Hill	1	2
Middletown	6	0

CROSS COUNTRY

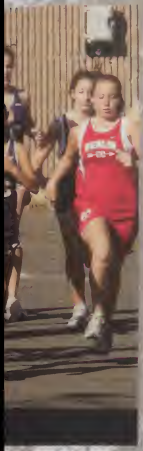
Above: Andrew Soneson on his last lap
Below: Michael Soneson at the front of the pack

The 2007 season turned out to be a great achievement for BHS Cross Country. Whether it was at a championship meet or simply on the back roads of Berlin, the team always found time to have fun. Led by their devoted captains, Molly Moskey, Michael Soneson, and Justin Crim, runners on both the girls and boys sides dramatically improved their times at every meet. By the end of the season, through all the pain, pasta suppers, and plastic legs, this team formed a bond which proved to last even after the final races ended.

"12...13...14...alohamora! Even stretching was fun, and what kind of XC team would be without breaking a collarbone here or there? Good season guys, keep rules 7,9, and 11 in mind and run fast next year."

"So many of my greatest experiences have been with the XC team. Through practices, meets, and XC parties, I have made some of my greatest friends. I will always remember pooh sticks, peter parleys, and the leg."

"XC to me is more than just races, but the experiences I've had with the team."



Left: The Cross Country girls start off the race strong.
Above: Ricky Lewandowski sprinting down a hill.
Above Right: The Cross Country boys sticking together during a race.
Right: Molly Moskey knows how to run through the pain.
Below: The 2007-2008 Berlin High School Cross Country team.

SCOREBOARD

Boys: 4-7 Girls: 3-8

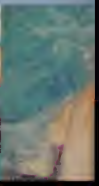
Meet	Coventry, Portland	St. Paul, East Catholic	Middletown, Rocky Hill	NW Catholic, RHAM	Farmington, Plainville	University HS
Boys	W 50-15 L 15-50	L 15-50 W 32-23	W 32-27 L 21-38	L 15-45 L 16-42	L 15-45 L 24-32	W 50-15
Girls	W 50-15 L 20-43	W 50-15 L 18-41	L 23-32 L 24-31	L 25-30 L 19-40	L 26-30 L 19-40	W 50-15

Above: A Berlin swimmer diving in to start off a meet.
Below Right: Sarah Carlson and Erica Lojko pose during warm ups. **Below:** Seniors Emily Auciello, Kim Tynik, Sarah Carlson, Allison Thurston, Sam Smolicz and Lisa Marzi.

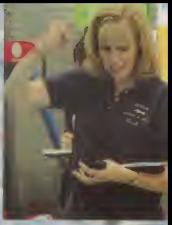
Scoreboard

Home		Opp.
101	Suffield	85
71	Wethersfield	110
80	Maloney	106
84	East Catholic	97
101	Windsor Locks	79
86	Farmington	96
54	St. Paul	43
97	Middletown	88
86	Enfield	54
98	Plainville	79
100	Haddam-Killingworth	83
100	Rocky Hill	74
93	Platt	90

WINS: 9 **LOSSES: 4**

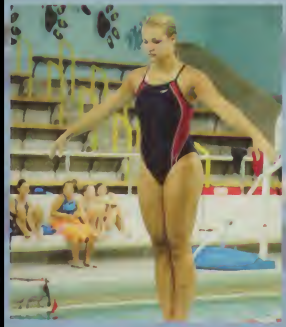


Women's Swimming & Diving



The Berlin Women's Swimming and Diving team had a great season this year. Best times were achieved at every meet and the girls worked hard every day at practice. Captains Allison Thurston and Sam Smolicz were a big part of bringing the girls together as a team, while at the same time, Taylor Friedmann made headlines by setting record after record for the girls. Though their season may be over, the members of the 2007 Women's Swimming & Diving will always remember the great swims they had and the friends that they made.

Above left: Some members of the team strike a pose during a home meet at Platt. **Above Right:** Coach Thurston and Captains Allison Thurston and Sam Smolicz smile for the camera. **Below Left:** Sam Smolicz prepares to dive during a meet. **Below:** The 2007 Team



"Volleyball is not just a sport you like to play, it's a sport you love to play and you can't get enough of. The past four years have been great with the friendships, and togetherness on and off the court. Learning and talking with people that I would have never even talked to if it wasn't for volleyball. I can't believe it's over and I'm going to miss you all!"
- Ronnie Roche

Clockwise: The starting line up huddle, Meagan Guy and Katelyn Zarotney go up for a block, Erica Bukowski gets ready to set, Christina DeSimone passes the ball, Amanda McKenzie celebrates an ace, Jillian Tara hits the ball, Sarah Byrnes goes up for a spike.

VOLLEYBALL

The Berlin High School volleyball team led their way through a successful season with a record of 16-4 ending their season in the quarter finals. The team is coached by Bob Tango and Josh Richards.

From Top: Liz O'Donnell gets ready for the ball, Senior Captains- Veronica Roche, Meagan Guy, and Kaley Skoglund with Coach Tarigo. Veronica Roche saves the ball, the senior girls on senior night, and the BHS Volleyball Team.

SCOREBOARD

Team	Us	Them
Northwest Catholic	3	0
Plainville	3	0
RHAM	0	3
East Catholic	3	0
St. Paul's	3	0
Farmington	0	3
Rocky Hill	3	0
Avon	3	1
Middletown	3	0
Northwest Catholic	3	0
Avon	3	0
Plainville	3	0
RHAM	0	3
East Catholic	3	0
St. Paul's	3	0
Farmington	3	0
Rocky Hill	3	1
Middletown	3	0

This past season was successful for the men's basketball team. Many thrilling moments occured during games, along with team spirit and unity that were shown throughout. Players put in hours of practice to improve their game and gave all their effort to bring the Redcoats to victory.

Top left: Pat McCandless takes a jump shot. **Top right**: Scott Waskiewicz tips the ball from the opponent. **Above left**: captains Pat McCandless and Jeff Muzio. **Left**: Number 23 looks for a good shot **Above**: Terrell Jones dribbles past an opponent **Above right**: the team huddles in for a play **Left**: Mr. Synnott and the Red Sea watch an intense game

Men's Basketball

Scoreboard

12/12, Capital Prep W 64-31
12/14, Kolbe Cathedral L 48-64
12/17, Rocky Hill W 54-51
12/27, East Hartford L 57-46
12/29, East Catholic L 56-47
1/3, Farmington L 57-54
1/5, St. Paul Catholic W 73-64
1/7, NW Catholic L 59-52
1/10, Plainville W 74-53
1/18, Middletown L 60-52
1/21 RHAM W 57-48
1/25, East Catholic L 60-58
1/29, Rocky Hill W 71-58
1/31, Pomperaug L 75-71
2/5, Farmington L 61-59
2/8, St. Paul Catholic W 53-52
2/13, NW Catholic W 48-47
2/15, Plainville W 72-41
2/19, Middletown W 49-46
2/21, RHAM W 59-44

Top of page from left to right: the seniors pose for a picture, John Guzze prepares to pass the ball, and Jeremy Thompson makes a layup **Above**: Joe Sylvester makes a nice shot and Jeff Muzio looks to make the right pass **Right**: Eric O'Neill's effortless slam dunk

Women's Basketball

The Lady Redcoats had a remarkable and unforgettable 2008 season. For the first time in the history of the program the girls captured the North West Conference Tournament Title, the greatest highlight of the season. They went on to play in some of the most exciting state tournament games ever, defeating Woodland Regional in first round play, knocking out #1 seed East Hampton in over time and losing by just one point in the quarter finals. This team will be remembered by their peers, teachers, administrators, and town for their tremendous display of team work, heart, and competitiveness for a very long time. Thank you Lady Redcoats for the memories. "One team, one goal, 2202008." - Coach Sheila King

Left: Kaley Skoglund shoots for two **Above**: Alexys Vazquez looks for an open team member

Above Left: The team huddles with Coach King to discuss the final winning plays
Above Right: Kaitlyn Bovee looks for an opening to score

Above: Kim Rassmusen shows her skills on the court **Left**: Sarah Byrnes gets focused for her foul shot **Below**: Kristin Legenza keeps control of the ball **Below Right**: Meagan Guy plans a route around her opponent

Scoreboard

Capital Prep	W 70 - 37
Middletown	W 70 - 51
RHAM	W 64 - 45
East Catholic	L 46 - 59
Rocky Hill	W 39 - 33
St. Joseph	W 49 - 42
Wethersfield	L 30 - 41
Farmington	L 47 - 58
St. Paul	L 42 - 44
NW Catholic	L 52 - 58
Plainville	L 25 - 39
RHAM	W 58 - 24
Middletown	W 56 - 41
East Catholic	W 39 - 33
Rocky Hill	W 52 - 51
Derby	W 61 - 47
Farmington	W 50 - 26
St. Paul	W 60 - 43
NW Catholic	L 48 - 57
Plainville	L 37 - 41
St. Paul	W 49 - 41
Plainville	W 39 - 32
NW Catholic	W 65 - 59
Woodland Regional	W 54 - 38
East Hampton	W 39 - 33
Tolland	L 37 - 38

Indoor Track

Clockwise: Jamie Rasmussen and Ann Kureska [illegible] to race. Kara Rulison [illegible] herself over the bar. Ann Rauseo [illegible] at the 3rd [illegible] competition. Senior track members [illegible] for a picture. Katherine Hamm [illegible] the finish line. Mary Dickinson [illegible] herself during her race, and the indoor track [illegible] gather together for a team picture.

NWC Championships Meet

Girls Team Rankings

Middletown	100
Berlin	73
NW Catholic	72
East Catholic	56.5
RHAM	52.5
Rocky Hill	46
Plainville	31
St. Paul	14
Farmington	10

Boys Team Rankings

Middletown	119.83
East Catholic	85
Farmington	74.33
Rocky Hill	66
NW Catholic	42
RHAM	41.5
Berlin	15
Plainville	12.33

"Indoor Track is a great experience. Coach Hosek is really motivational. He makes you really push yourself in order to succeed. The meets are hard but it's good bonding time with the team and a great opportunity to meet new people." -Captain [illegible] Rauseo

My high school track experience has been amazing. I have learned so much from the sport. It teaches discipline, dedication and shows the benefits of hard work. The people are great and they make it just that much better. Overall, track has definitely been one of the most rewarding experiences throughout high school.

-Captain Jamie Rasmussen

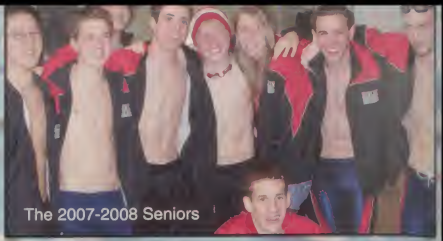
Clockwise: Cameron Johnson starts the race. Senior members of the indoor track team, Matt DelConte throwing the shotput, Dan Hogan prepares himself, Andrew Homberger and Taylor Tavarozzi race, Vinit Patel and Richard Lewandowski compete in a long distance event and the men's indoor track team pose for a team picture.

"Indoor track was great. Coach Rosek helped everyone see results in running and strength all throughout the season."
-Captain Jack Cooper

State Meet 2 - 9 - 08

Darien	104
Weaver	78
Tolland	50
Wilton	23
Suffield	21
Berlin	20
Holy Cross	18
New Canaan	18
Platt	18
Windham	16
Nonnewaug	14
Enrico Fermi	12
Brookfield	10
East Haven	9
Career	8
Bacon Academy	8
Sheehan	6.5
Ledyard	6
Watertown	6
Waterford	6
Woodland	5.5
Montville	3
Enfield	2
New Fairfield	2
RHAM	1

Derek Roncaioli diving during a meet


The 2007-2008 Seniors

Brian Cameron comes up for a breath

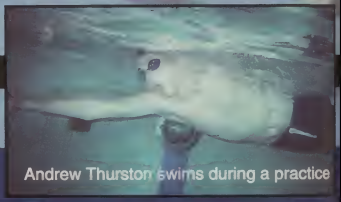
Jeremy Mellon swimming freestyle

Team Captains

Tony La

Derek Roncaioli

Andy DeVivo


Andrew Thurston swims during a practice

Scoreboard

Opponent	Score	Opponent	Score
Plan	101-76	Lyman Hall	95-79
Northwest Catholic	98-87	Middletown	88-90
Maloney	96-82	Rocky Hill	99-79
Haddam-Killingworth	88.5-96.5	Suffield	95-61
Farmington	85-96	Plainville	104-81
Avon	80-105	Holy Cross	88-93
Sacred Heart	95-93	8 Wins 5 Losses	

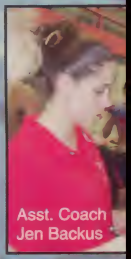
NUTMEG LEAGUE: 5th Place CLASS M: 10th Place

Tony La

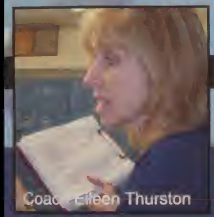
Men's Swimming & Diving

Though only in their third season, the Berlin Men's Swimming and Diving team has become stronger thanks to the hard work and dedication of its members and coaches. With a large group of freshmen as well as many veteran swimmers, the Redcoats made their presence known in the Nutmeg League and around the state with eight wins and five losses. In the Class M state meet, the team emerged in the top ten, greatly improving upon last year's 15th place finish and the previous year's 21st place finish. But to the swimmers and divers, the numbers aren't important. Through their unyielding determination, the team developed a type of comraderie unrivaled by any other Berlin sports team. And although the majority of the original team members will be graduating this year, their passion for the sport will continue to live on in the underclassmen. Hopefully, with the help of parents, pasta suppers, and the always positive coaching staff, the Berlin Men's Swimming and Diving team will remain to be the "baddest" in the state of Connecticut.

The 2007-2008 Men's Swimming & Diving Team

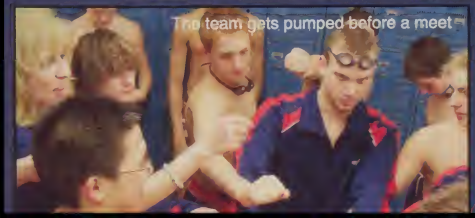


Asst. Coach Jen Backus



Coach Eileen Thurston

Kevin Zagorski finishes an event



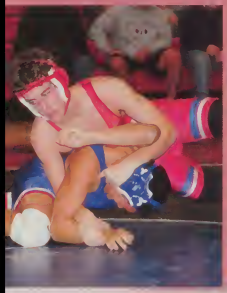
The team gets pumped before a meet

Mike Soneson

WRESTLING

"The BHS wrestling team had a great season. They finished their season as Art Powers Duals Champions and NWCL State Tournament runner-up. This season had its highs and lows, but the team worked through them all and finished the season at 22-7. Many of our victories included the top teams of the state as well as New England. I have great respect for this team and wish them the best of luck in the future. They didn't quit despite the difficulty of the sport and the attribution needed to succeed: mental toughness, focus, diet and social sacrifices, and especially the ability to do more than one thing at a time...'You know like walking and chewing gum.'"

- Jon Fiorillo



Left: Jack Banks in the middle of a half nelson. Middle: Ethan Berube before a match. Right: Jamie Luczynski has his opponent in a headlock

Scoreboard

Opponent	Score
Glastonbury	39-26
Waterford	28-27
Brookfield	57-15
New Fairfield	60-15
Housatonic	51-27
Bristol Eastern	39-29
Law	32-32
Fitch	66-0
New Britain	63-18
RHAM	56-13
Hand	38-22
Law	37-32
Lowell (Mass)	8-54
Timberline(NH)	22-54
Farmington	29-32
East Catholic	54-16
New London	71-6
Bunnell	45-24
Middletown	34-35
Foran	74-6
Stratford	51-23
Plainville	49-18
EO Smith	69-7
Hand	24-32
Waterford	42-27
Maloney	52-28
Rocky Hill	70-6
Ledyard	31-32
Bacon Academy	39-25

Above Left: Ryan Bisson has his opponent in an arm bar. Top: Captain Jon Fiorillo. Above: Captain Chris Solek. Bottom Right: Junior Captain Kevin Moss. Botton Left: Cameron Banks

BASEBALL

"Everything the coaches had us do over the past four years was to help us become a better baseball player. We'll all remember the practices, games and our trip to Cooperstown. The ones who stayed with it grew more and more as a team everyday."

- Ryan DeGroff

Top Left: Matt Carasiti sprints towards first base
Above: Jake Matuszak shows off his powerful swing
Left: Gary Schrader ready to make the third out
Below: Adam Romegialli slides into home

Above: CJ Ziegler ready for a fly ball
Left: Adam Romegialli waits for the perfect pitch
Right: Pat McCandless taking a swing
Below: The 2007 Baseball team

Above: The girls huddle together before a big game
Right: Meagan Guy ready to make the last out
Below: The ladies line up after a big win

Above: Danielle Gorneault ready to pitch a strike **Left**: Molly Wicklund focused on winning the game **Below**: Jillian Young eager to catch the ball

Above: The senior players and Danielle Gorneault waiting for the perfect pitch

SOFTBALL

Above: Players in the dugout cheer on their teammates **Below**: Erica Bukowski warms up before her first swing

"This year's senior class, although small in terms of numbers, is very experienced with two four year varsity starters in Meagan Guy and Danielle Gorneault. This year they are sharing captain duties with junior Courtney Bovee, and are expecting big things for the team. Lindsay Young, who has been on the team for three years, is the third senior on our squad. These three athletes will lead by example and are determined to bring a conference championship here to Berlin this year."

~Coach Pires

Left: Courtney Bovee ready to make the last out **Right**: The 2007 team

Above: Ben Domurat shows the other team how it's done
Below: Ethan Berube makes his move for the finish line

Left: Bobby Salerno pushes forward for that extra inch
Above: Steven Eilefsen goes for the throw
Below left: Nick DeLoia takes a breath after a tiring race
Below right: Luiz Gonzalez catches up to the opponent team

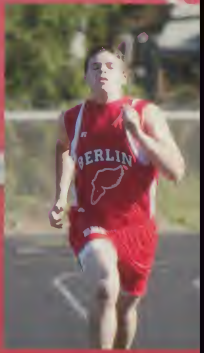
Men's Track

Above left: The senior boys pose for a picture

Above right: Dan Erickson jumps the hurdles

Left: Dave Vermeulen uses all of his strength to get the furthest distance

Right: Pat King sprints towards the finish line



Left: Senior Kathleen Page takes an impressive jump across the hurdle.
Above: Senior Molly Moskey finishes her run.

Above Left: Anet Czyzewski keeps ahead of her opponents
Above. Allison Thurston at the home stretch
Left. The senior girls

Girl's Track

Above: Nikki Kureczka puts all her focus towards the long jump
Top Right: Berlin girls keep together to finish the race strong
Right: Veronica Roche focuses on her aim
Bottom: The girl's track team pose for a picture, along with their coach.

Men's Tennis

This past season was truly exciting and teammates played their hardest in each match to try to gain a win for the team. Hours of practice and perseverance paid off for the players.

"Tennis has been a great new experience with a lot of memories. I've met new friends and had fun times. Especially Smith, always squaking at us to make states. Tennis has set new goals for me and has made a difference in my life."
-Drew Hornberger

Above: Greg Fortunato plays a rough match; the seniors pose for a picture after a win; Tony La hits the ball, and Andrew Hornberger plays tough
Top right: the 2007 Men's Tennis Team
Right: Andrew Thurston saves the ball, and Cody Scott gets ready to play the ball

"My teammates have made the season very fun and rewarding. The countless jokes and many laughs have made tennis one of my greatest high school experiences." - Teddy Rosol

Top from left: Jeff Sirois celebrates a victory; Andy DeVivo takes a swing; Mike Pagano focused on a tough match
Below: Teddy Rosol plays a match; the 2008 Senior Men's Tennis; John Guzze serves the ball

"1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, let's make states!" -Pete Smith

2007 SCOREBOARD

4/5 Rocky Hill L 5-2	5/2 Rocky Hill W 4-3	5/16 Middletown W 5-1
4/10 East Catholic L 7-0	5/3 Farmington L 6-1	5/17 Farmington L 5-2
4/23 RHAM L 5-2	5/8 Brookfield L 6-1	5/21 NW Catholic W 6-1
4/25 Middletown W 6-1	5/10 E Catholic L 6-1	5/22 Brookfield L 5-2
4/30 NW Catholic W 4-3	5/14 RHAM L 4-3	5/23 Platt W 6-1

Above: Hannah Furlong sends the ball back to her opponent
Above Right: Nina Raczkowski swings for the ball.
Right: Allison Farrell returns the ball.
Below: The 2007 Girl's Tennis Team

Women's Tennis

"Tennis is something I'll never forget about high school. Through the seasons I've learned the meaning of hard work, made great friends and had tons of laughs. My memories of NWC Championships, fun times with the guy's team and pasta dinners are unforgettable." Megan Conway, Tennis Captain '08

Above: Kristen Legenza shows her skills
Below: Seniors Allison Farrell, Megan Conway, and Kristen Legenza

"The past few years on the tennis team have been great. I will never forget the friendships made and the memories shared on and off the court. Good luck girls on the seasons to come!" - Allison Farrell, Tennis Captain '08

Above: Megan Conway goes for the win
Left: Sophmore Alyssa Hayes prepares for the ball at a home match.

Men's Golf

Right: Captain Kevin Josephson

Left: Junior Ryan Lee takes a swing.
Below: Seniors Kevin Profit, Manny Story, Nick Couciero, Kevin Josephson, and Brent Casner pose for a group shot on the golf course

Above: Kevin Josephson
Left: Jack Rudy
Right: Joseph Fiducia
Below, left to right: Kevin Profit, John Sheyd, and Nick Couciero

"Golf is what has made my time at the high school so worthwhile."
- Kevin Josephson, Captain

Above: The women's golf team poses for a picture.
Right: Erica Barnes looking to finish strong
Below: Stephanie Pomponio concentrates on her swing.

Right: The girls keep track of their game

Women's Golf

Above: Mallory Taylor putting the ball on the green
Right: Maggie Doyle concentrates on her swing
Below: Laura Bedus prepares to drive the ball

"The past two years on the golf team have given me the opportunity to meet some of the most amazing people whom I have shared endless memories and laughs with. It was a great expierience that I would recommend to anyone." - Laura Bedus

"The team has always been welcoming and friendly and we really support each other. The girls on the team always become close friends. That's what I like most about playing. We really work hard during the season and it definitely pays off." - Captain Larissa Pentalow

Below: Larissa Pentalow shows us how it's done

TEAM

COLORGUARD

"I am very honored to have the chance to be captain for the past two years. The '07-08 squad has become very close over the season. Everything from the boas at band camp, never have I ever, and tackle football before Wednesday night practices are a few hightlights from this year. I can't imagine senior year without my CGU girls; they always know what to do to make you smile. Ballin!" - Liz Allocca

Top: Jessica Sampson twirls the flag, Victoria Daigle stands in ready position, the colorguard team walks in to perform with the band at halftime

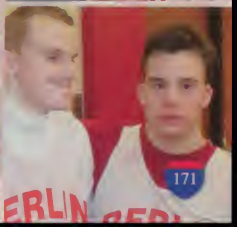
Left: the colorguard team poses for a picture during their "Halloween Dress Up" practice

Right: Danielle Deleon gets ready to twirl her flag

Below: The band and colorguard at halftime

Unified Sports

We have had a wonderful year, both in soccer and basketball. A lot of firsts were accomplished by our athletes, who never ever give up! The following quote sums up our team – "They can because they think they can! -Virgil" – Coach Marie Siegal



Friends

Amanda McKenzie, Courtney Caswell
Beth Horbal, Sam Smolicz, Alexa Rivera
Catherine Heslin , Meagan Guy, Mari Faurego
Liz O'Donnell

Melissa Meehan, April Kasolis
Jen Glatz

Cory Schroder,
Jimmy Connelly,
Mike Spyros,
Scott Waskiewicz
Ryan DeGroff,
Jacob Matuszak,
Jack Cooper,
Genc Gilani,
Jeff Muzio,
Cameron Johnson

Amanda Letizio, Larissa Pentalow, Kelsey Marquis, Lauren Cowperthwaite, Angelina Mancarella, Jamie Brousseau

Justin Crim, Hilary Little, Mike Soneson, Kelly Foy, Andy DeVivo

Sami Alami, George Kouzelis, Chris Sargis, Tristan Wisser, Ryan Bigelow, Joey Glowka, Christian Rapp, Mario Salza, Melissa Trigilio, Heather Kolodziej, Liz Fragione, Alyssa Griffo

Ashley Andruskiewicz, Caitlyn Brodeur, Anet Czyzewski, Meghan Conway

Erin Shemeth, Stephanie Durante, Sabrina Kania, Kaitlyn King, Jen Glatz

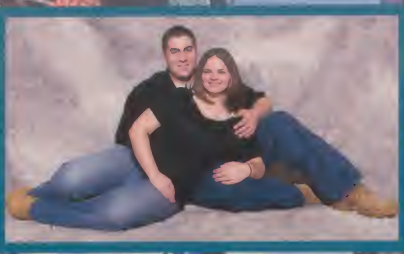
Above: Mr. McNulty, Ben Gagliardi, Kevin Zagorski, John Mattie

Heather Kolodziej, Madeline Luddy, Lisa DelCegno

Paulina Ogibowski, Danielle Gorneault, Mary Alberti, Alyssa McGilvery

Jillian Tara, Lindsay Young, Ronnie Roche, Kim Tynik, Tim Bisson, Jaimi Welch, Michelle Kiss, Bre Wacker

Alex Gavelek, Zach Scheer, Jeremy Thompson, Mike Griswold, Drew Zeler, Eric O'Neill, Matt DeCoppo, Teddy Kusel, Mike Paolino



Reggie St. Jarre &
Elie Wacker

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Kaley Skoglund,
Kristin Legenza,
Lindsay Casasanta,
Briona Ritone,
Jaime Rasmussen,
Tara Laviana,
Lori Samiotis,
Liz Fragione,
Alyssa Griffo

Jenna Welch, Lisa Chimber,
Mikayla Howick

Ben Domurat,
Drew Zelek,
Mike Griswold,
Matt DelConte,
Mike Pagano,
Drew Hornberger

Matt Walsh, Dan Erickson, Chris Teti, Shaun Harle, Tyler Bisson, Alan Huck

Melissa Meehan & Madeline Luddy

Gary Schmitt,
Nick Brix,
Matt Kordek,
Ben Gagliardi,
Justin Hillemeir,
Ryan Manthey,
Dave Veronesi,
Quenton Kloczko

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Paulina Ogibowski,
Dorothy Adamkiewicz,
Rebekah Fargo

Pat King,
Derek Roncaioli,
Joe Sylvester,
Andy DeVivo,
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Dan Erickson,
Bobby Salerno,
Justin Crim,
Mike Sonsson,
Tyler Bisson,
Tony La

Lisa DelCegno,
Madeline Luddy, Lauren Pucci

Cassandra Clavette, Mitchell Cyr, Max Leiss, Matt Karwowski, Ashley Andruskiewicz, Kevin Cyr, Chris Gullette

Dorothy Adamkiewicz and Rebekah Fargo

Elizabeth Allocca, Hilary Little, Kelley Manning Jeff Sirois, Bobby Salerno, Andy DeVivo

ON THE ROAD TO SUCCESS

Gabby Sobilo- Criminal justice
Kelly Foy- Psychology
Justin Talbot- P.E. Teacher
Matt Karwowski- History
Amanda Letizio-Social Worker
Jessica Kipphut- Business
Marisa Savic- Theatre Studies
Kim Tynik- Genetics
Jen Mann- Marine Biology
Zach Scheer- Accounting
Scott Waskiewicz- Business
David Skowronek- Math
Trevor Hayes- Mechanical Engineering
CJ Amato- Medical
Travis Soaft-HVAC
Alex Gavelek- Accounting or Pharmacy
Madeline Luddy-History Teacher
Melissa Meehan- Artist
Brian Cameron- Art Therapy
Lisa Marzi- Public Relations
Liz Allocca- Dance and Business
Dustin Allen- Recording Arts
Melissa Mendoza- Social Worker
Corissa Wilson- Neuro Surgery
Andrew Zelek- Business
Sarah Carlson- Criminal Justice
Michael Putnam- Criminal Justice
Eric O'Neill- Communications
Matt Giuffre- Writer or Marine Biologist
Ben Gagliardi- Ecology
Allison Thurston- Vet
Izzy Reza- Video Game Designer
Christina DeSimone- Atmospheric Science
John Guzze- Civil Engineering
Gary Schmitt- Biology
Krista Sullivan- Architecture
Matt DelConte- Economics
Drew Lundebjerg- Business
Danielle Gorneault- P.E. Education
Kristen Amolowski- Education
Dorothy Adamkiewicz Music & Performance
Manny Story- Surgical Technician
Cameron Ziegler- Business
Kevin Proffitt- Biology or Dentist
Jake Matuszak- P.E. Teacher
Kathleen Strain- Journalism
Jessi Marino- Business
Genc Gilani- Business
Bobby Salerno- Music Education
Lauren Cowperthwaite- Nursing
Jennifer Glatz- Fashion Design
Mary Alberti- Fashion Marketing/ Design
Joe Barrett- Accounting
Allison Farrell- Business
Amy Brochu- Vet
Sage Dewees- Accounting
Jessica Spada- Cosmetologist
Kevin Zagorski-Aeronautical Engineering or Law
Quan Duong- Aeronautical Engineering
Max Leiss- Electrician
Alex Stephenson- Mortuary Science
Alyssa McGilvery- Criminal Justice
Katie Frank- Art Therapy
Mari Rauseo- Engineering
Mike Soneson- Education & part time entertaining
Teddy Rosol- Business Management
Beth Horbal- Doctor
Vanessa Bianchi- Fashion Design
Tony La- Pediatrics
Sarah Matulis- Music Education
Alyssa Mazzarella- Children's Medical Research
Andy DeVivo- Lawyer
Toni Snell- Business Management
Derek Roncaioli- Mechanical Engineering
Jillian Tara- Interior Design
Veronica Roche- History Secondary Education
Andrew Hornberger- Chemistry Teacher
Tyler Bisson- Sound Recording Technician
Meagan Guy- Criminal Justice
Ben Domurat- Art/Design
Michelle Kiss- Math/Science
Courtney Caswell- Child Life
Cameron Johnson- Accounting
John Lee- Astronaut
Shelby Johnson- Construction Management
Pat McCandless- Business Management
Emily Auciello- Broadcast Journalism
Amanda McKenzie- Physician Assistance
Derek Wnuk- Fire Technician/Paramedic/EMT
Jeff Muzio-Business

Kristin Ann Legenza

Kristin Ann

You have grown into an intelligent, energetic and lovely young lady and we are proud of your athletic and academic achievements. Your relentless dedication and competitive spirit are additional qualities that will enable you to attain all of your hopes and dreams. We urge you to continue to work hard and live your life to the fullest. You are the best youngest daughter in the whole universe.

All our love,
Mom & Dad
XOX

"A sister is a gift to the heart, a friend to the spirit, a golden thread to the meaning of life." It seems like only yesterday we were kicking you out of our Monopoly games in Vermont! We can't express how proud we are of the intelligent, beautiful woman you have become and of all your outstanding accomplishments. Good luck in all your adventures to come and know that your sisters will always be here for you!

Always and Forever,
Jen & Sarah

Christopher Ouellette

Congratulations Chris!

Wow, the years have flown by.
Best of luck with all your
future endeavors.
We love you!
Mom, Dad and Amy

Diana Aziz

Diana
We are proud of you,
and all of your accomplishments.
Always remember....
To accomplish great things
you must not only ACT, but DREAM,
not only PLAN, but BELIEVE.
Always be true to yourself
and others and keep smiling.
Best wishes in your journey to success.
Love you always & forever,
Dad, Mom, Gina & Amanda

Lindsay Casasanta

Congratulations Lindsay~

How quickly time has passed from your first day of Kindergarten to graduating High School. We are so proud of you and the beautiful individual you have become.

New challenges and adventures are about to begin so continue listening to your heart and face each with passion and confidence. We wish you much happiness and success always!

With all our love,
Mom, Dad, Tommy and Lauren

Angelina Mancarella

Congratulations, Angelina

There is no greater blessing than having you in our lives. You've filled our lives with Love, Joy and Happiness. You are very dear and precious to us all. Reach for your dreams and may life hold only the best for you. We wish you great success and may all your dreams come true.

Love You

Mom, Steve, John, Nana & Poppy

Christopher Ouellette

Congratulations Chris!!

We knew you could do it!
Good luck with the next step of your educational ladder.
We love you!
Gram & Pop

Catherine Heslin

Wishing you a future filled with success, happiness and good fortune.
We are very proud of your many accomplishments!

Love,
Mom, Dad, John, and Lauren

Andy DeVivo

Congratulations Andy!

Andy,
I am so proud of all your academic and athletic accomplishments. You have always set lofty goals for yourself and then worked hard to achieve them. But even more important is that you are a caring young man who has always shown what a strong character you have by your leadership skills, volunteer work with Upbeat and the way you treat others. I know Mom is looking down from heaven and smiling. May your future be filled with an abundance of love, health and happiness.

Love,
Dad

Dear Andres,
Words cannot explain how proud of you I am today. You have grown up so fast and I couldn't be happier with how much you've accomplished academically, athletically, and as a person. You make me so proud and I am honored to call you my brother. You know Mom is so happy with everything you've accomplished and is watching over you. Congratulations on everything you've accomplished, you deserve all the benefits and rewards from all your hard work. Remember if you ever need anything, I will be here for you no matter what.
Good luck in college and in all your future endeavors, you'll do great.
Love, Michelle

Molly Moskey

We love you and we are so proud of you!

Love from
Mom, John, Sarah, Sage,
Grandma and Granpa

Alexander Gavelek

Alex,
You are such a special son and brother. The joy you bring to our family is a reflection of the life you lead and evident in the man you have become. We are so proud of your accomplishments and wish you much happiness and success in the future.
Congratulations!
We love you!

Mom, Dad, Amy and Caryn

Kevin Cyr

Congratulations on graduating BHS.
We know that when you put your heart into something, anything, you can accomplish it.
Life is about making choices, choose the right ones and you'll be happy. Also, keep a sense of humor "smile".
It's the third period you're down by a goal. There's 30 seconds left with no time outs. What do you do?
"Go for it"
Go out and make a difference in the world.
You are a gift from God. We love you and we're very proud of you.
Love always,
Mom, Dad & Jodi

Congratulations Class of 2008!

Michelle Kiss & Kimberly Tynik

It is hard to believe that graduation is here. It seems like only yesterday that the two of you met in kindergarten and your ever-lasting friendship has combined our families into one. You have grown into two beautiful young women.
We are so proud of the goals and standards that you have set for yourselves and all you have accomplished.
We wish you health, happiness, love and continued growth. Remember the road always leads home.

Love,

Your Families

Shaun Harle

Shaun, Always a Character!

You always show that you have great personality and infinite individuality bringing us joy with your quick wit and humor. For what you have already done, for who you have already become and for everything you will ever be...we are very proud of you!
So, look back on this time fondly but always look forward to your future with enthusiasm.
We all love you and are proud of you, Bumble.
Mom, Dad & Mike

Jacob Matuszak

The batter swings and the summer flies.....

JACOB

We are so proud of you.
Work hard and you'll do great things!

Love,
Mom & Dad
Molly & Will

Elizabeth Allocca

May God Bless You and fill
your life with His Loving Grace.
May His Hand always guide you.
Your determination will
grant you great opportunities.
Always listen to your loving heart.
Best wishes in all you do.
We love you,
Mom & Dad

Congratulations
to a great
"little sister".
Thanks for being
there for me.
Love, Mike

Christina DeSimone

Congratulations Christina!

Lucky stars above you,
Sunshine on your way,
Many friend to love you,
Joy in work and play-
Laughter to outweigh each care,
In your heart a song-
And gladness waiting everywhere
All your whole life long!
~an Irish Blessing

We are so proud of you! Thank you for making all our dreams come true. Now it's your turn to make your dreams come true. We know you are, and always will be, on your toes and ready! Remember, don't blink. Life goes faster than you think!

All our love,
Mom, Dad and Jeremy

ZACHA

Zachary Scheer

We are so very proud of you. You have overcome some difficult challenges and have evolved into a wonderful young man. We wish you the very best in the future. You deserve it. Keep making people smile!
We love you, Zach
Mom, Dad, Matt and Kathryn

Danielle Berube

Congratulations Danielle and The Class of 2008

You have worked very hard and we are so proud of you.
Best of luck in college and in the years ahead.
May your future be filled with much success and happiness.

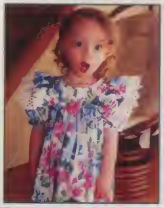
Love,

Mom,
Dad,
Jillian &
Ethan

Kelley Manning

There are dreamers and there are achievers
The difference between the two is action.
~Author Unknown

Kelley,
Thank you for being a special part of our lives. You have grown into a beautiful young woman and have made us proud. Now as you approach the next path in your journey through life, we wish you the best and hope that you follow your heart and that your dreams do come true.
We love you,
Mom, Dad & Matthew



Patrick King

Dear Patrick,
The years have gone by so fast, and you have accomplished so much through hard work and perseverance. We are very proud of all you have become. Continue to conquer with all you have inside you. The future is yours, go and create it. We are always here for you. (81 & 33)
Love, Mom and Dad

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are small matters compared to what lies within us."
~Ralph Waldo Emerson

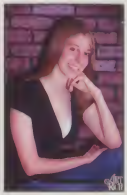
"A brother shares childhood memories and grown-up dreams."
~Author Unknown

Our dream for you, Patrick, is that life brings you all you wish for. We have many special memories to cherish and many more to make. Thanks for being our role model, mentor and friend. "One for all and all for one."

Love, Tim and Colin

Allison Thurston

Allison,
We are all SO proud of you and all your accomplishments-
You are an amazing young woman-
Believe in yourself and all your dreams will come true-
Remember there is no place you cannot go and nothing you cannot achieve!
We will always be here for you to lean on and confide in-
Keep chocolate in your life and that personality bubbling!!!
Congratulations!!
With love always,
Mom, Dad, Dan, Bryan, Emily, Andrew, Shelby and Gilligan



You are not only my sister,
but my best friend!
I couldn't be prouder of you!
Love always - Em

Hilary Little

Hil,
You are amazing!
I will love you forever and back!
Together forever, stuck like glue.
Gracie

Hilly,
Stay tough!
I love you!
Alexander

Hilary,
I am so very proud of you!
Congratulations!
Love, Nana

Be glad of life because it gives you the chance
to love and to work and to play
and to look up at the stars.
~Henry VanDyke

Bean,
Be so very glad of life!
When asked "Whose ball is it anyway?"
With confidence, conviction and faith,
Reply, "It's my ball!"

Remember that wherever you travel,
All roads do lead home.
And home is where you are loved
best of all.
Love you forever,
Mom and Dad

Robert A. Salerno

Wherever we are, it is our friends
that make our world.

Congratulations!

From the DeVivo, Salerno
& Sirois Families

Travis Soaft

Travis,
Congratulations!
We are all so proud of you.
Wishing you the very best
in the future.
Love,
Mom,Dad,
Amanda & Maria

Quenton Kloczko

Congratulations Quenton!

Graduation marks not the end of the
child within, but the transformation
to an adult with an inner child.
We're proud of you.
Be who you are.

All your crazy and loving family.

Christopher Solek

Congratulations, Christopher!

This day marks a great achievement for you.
All your hard work and perseverence has paid off.
This is just the beginning of a new chapter in your life.
Just follow your heart and do your best, all the
potential within you is sure to be realized and bring
you happiness! We are so proud of you!
We love you!

Mom, Dad, Jim and Brandon

School's out for summer!
School's out forever!
~Alice Cooper

Kenny Pausig

Congratulations Kenny!
Love,
Mom, Kelly and Karen

Amanda McKenzie

Amanda,
You've given us the gift of laughter and love.
Congratulations on your successes.
We know you will do great things.
We love you!
Mom and Dad

Michael Baczewski

Michael,
You came into this world on a beautiful winter day.
The sky was clear and brightly colored blue (your
favorite color). The sunlight danced on freshly
fallen snow. Light so intensely bright, sparkling
upon your new home. This was your beginning.
We were so proud and full of love to look at you
and know there's a God above.

So, Michael,
May God bless and keep you always,
May your wishes all come true,
May you always do for others
and let others do for you.
May you build a ladder to the stars
and climb on every rung,
May you stay forever young.
May you grow up to be righteous,
May you grow up to be true,
May you always know the truth
and see the lights surrounding you.
May you always be courageous,
stand upright and be strong.
May your hands always be busy,
May your feet always be swift,
May you have a strong foundation
when the winds of changes shift.
May your heart always be joyful,
May your song always be sung,
May You Stay Forever Young.
~Bob Dylan

Michael,
You shine like the day you were born.
We love you and are
so proud of the man you've become!
Always and forever,
Mom and Dad

Teddy Rosol

Cameron Ziegler

I hope that the days come easy
and the moments pass slow,
And each road leads you
where you want to go,
And if you're faced with a choice,
and you have to choose,
I hope you choose the one that
means the most to you.
And if one door opens
to another door closed,
I hope you keep on walkin'
till you find the window,
If it's cold outside, show the world
the warmth of your smile,

But more than anything,
more than anything,
My wish, for you, is that this life
becomes all that you want it to,
Your dreams stay big,
and your worries stay small,
You never need to carry
more than you can hold,
And while you're out there
getting where you're getting to,
I hope you know somebody loves you,
and wants the same things too,
Yeah, this, is my wish.

I hope you never look back,
but ya never forget,
All the ones who love you,
in the place you left,
I hope you always forgive,
and you never regret,
And you help somebody
every chance you get,
Oh, you find God's grace,
in every mistake,
And you always give
more than you take.
~Rascal Flatts

Love,
Mom, Dad,
Tim & Shawna

Congratulations
&
Enjoy!!

Love,
Mom, Dad
& Cade

Jessica Kipphut Lisa Marzi

Congratulations

Watching your friendship blossom has been as joyous as watching you both develop into beautiful, caring and loving young ladies. We are so proud of all your accomplishments and know that only good things lie ahead.

Our love to both of you,

The Kipphuts and Marzis

Danielle Gorneault

Danielle Nicole
We have watched you grow into a wonderful young lady, you have accomplished so much since the day you were born and there couldn't be any two people prouder than your dad and I. The memories are endless!!! The good times and all of the laughs will be with us forever.

Watching you pursue your passion of Softball from T-ball to High School had been such a joy. We will continue to support you and cheer you on as you enter college and follow your dreams. We are always here for you, we are very proud of you and we love you more than you can ever imagine.
Love,
Mom & Dad

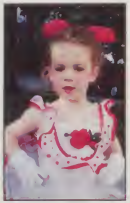
.....

Danielle
You are a true sister, always there for me and always willing to help me out. I am so proud of you graduating and going off to college and playing softball, that was always your dream. Good Luck in all you do and I will always be here to support you with anything in life.
Love,
Sarah

Caitlyn Brodeur

Congratulations Caity!

We are so proud of you and all your wonderful accomplishments!
Best wishes to you and all your friends.
Follow your dreams baby girl!



Love,

Mom, Dad, CJB, Matt,
Grandma & Grandpa

xoxo

Andrew Smith

Congratulations Andy

You are a great son and brother. We have had lots of fun during your high school years and look forward to lots more in the years to come. You have done a great job so far and we know you will do well in whatever you pursue.
Love, Mom, Dad & JD

Adrian R. Riley

Adrian,
Our lives are forever enriched, for you are our sunshine and joy. Your smile, warm heart, and giving spirit have blessed our lives. We are so proud to have you as our daughter.
Love,
Mom & Dad

Mari Rauseo

Mari

We knew you were very special as a baby and continued to amaze and surprise us throughout your childhood. You have been an inspiration to us because of your ability to challenge yourself, endure difficulties and, above all, continue to have the sparkling personality that makes you Mari.

We hope you will continue to be the person you are as a young adult moving on to your next adventure. Keep focused; keep smiling, and most of all, keep being Mari.

We love you,
Mom & Dad

Mari

You have grown to be such a beautiful person. Keep dreaming the greatest dreams, seeking the highest goals, and if you'd like, I'll stay at your side every step of the way. Mari, my sister, my best friend, I love you.

Toni

Jonathan Mowel

Jonathan,
Look what YOU'VE accomplished!!
We are so proud of the young man
you've become. Stay true to yourself,
follow your heart, reach for the stars.
Most of all, challenge yourself, meet
adversity head on and NEVER settle for
less. Live well, Laugh often, Love much.
With your abilities and determination
you can accomplish anything.
We are your biggest fans.
"Goodnight, Love You!"
Dad & Mom

Jonathan,
"You have brains in your head. You have feet
in your shoes. You can steer yourself in any
direction you choose. You're on your own.
And you know what you know. And YOU
are the guy who'll decide where to go." So,
Jonathan, remember "TODAY IS YOUR DAY!
YOUR MOUNTAIN IS WAITING...
SO GET ON YOUR WAY!"
~Dr. Suess~
We love you very much and
know you'll succeed 99.9% guaranteed.
Love,
Kristen, Jamie, Kylee
("The Pretty-Pretty Princesses!")

Dude,
Believe in yourself.
Make good use of your talents.
Always stay ambitious and
never settle for less.
You've grown from "the little
man" into "the man."
We believe in you and
love you very much.
"E-my sark."
Auntie & Unca

Kelly Foy

Kelly,
You have grown into an amazing, talented and compassionate woman. We have watched you meet life's challenges and struggles with determination and courage. Remember you are blessed. Be kind, be strong, be happy. Never give up on your dreams. We're so very proud of you!
Love you forever!
Mom & Dad

Kelly,
You're more than just a sister to me; you're also a best friend. You have been there to help me with homework, cheer me up when I was sad, and comfort me when someone hurt me (Peter). I love you so much.
Love,
Meghan

"The future belongs to those who believe in their dreams."

Joseph Barrett

Joey,
You could do anything you set your mind to. Know that I love you and we are all here for you. NaNa would be so proud of you. Keep up the good work. You are a wonderful son. I love you always.
Mom

Joe,
As you go through life you will have to make important decisions. May you have the wisdom to choose the right path.

Love,
Dad and Melanie

Joe,
I'm proud of your accomplishments and enthusiastic about your goals. Stay the course and always believe in yourself.

Love, Frank

Joe,
Have fun in college.
I know you will do great.

Love, Dylan

Jamie Rasmussen

Congratulations Jaime!

We are so proud of you for all you have accomplished and the strength of character you have demonstrated along the road you have traveled. Remember, for all you have done and all you have become there is still so much more to do. Take no rest from the journey as you strive to reach beyond all you ever thought to be possible. Pursue your dreams and never look back...
There is no finish line!

We love you,
Mom, Dad, Kimmy & Casey

Michael Imundo

Congratulations, Michael!

You are such a determined hard worker. We are so proud of you and all your accomplishments. Just remember to relax and have some fun.
We will be there for you and love you, Michael, always and forever.
We wish you all the health, happiness, love and success that life can bring.
Always stay the kind, loyal, faithful gentleman that you are.
You deserve the very best! God bless you always.

Love, Mom & Dad

Kimberly Anne Camosci

Kimbrella,
Got any plans tonight? Be careful and be safe.
Love you,
Dad

Sis,
Thanks for everything.
Congrats!!!
Alex

I remember just yesterday when I
held you in my arms and you would
twist my hair through your little fingers.
Then Alex came along and you tried to
twist his head off his shoulders.
Some things have never changed!!!
You are everything I ever hoped you
would be. You will always be my baby,
but now you are grown up and you have made
me so proud to call you my daughter.
I love you.
Mom

Elizabeth O'Donnell

Liz,

It seems like yesterday that you were chanting "Daddy, Daddy" by the back door, marching in your first parade, or dribbling your first basketball. We've watched you grow over the years into the special person that you are. We are so very proud of you and wish you all the best life has to offer.

May the road rise to meet you.
May the wind always be at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
and rains fall soft upon your fields.
And until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of his hand.
(An Old Irish Blessing)

Love,
Mom, Dad and Mike

Robert A. Salerno

Bobby,
Not a care in the world, except to care for others.
You are a good person-don't let time ever change that.
Be your charming self and always follow your dream.
We're very proud of you.
Love,
Mom & Dad

"Siblings by birth,
friends by choice."

To our little brother "Bert", aka "Guido", aka "Cheesecake",
Congratulations! We are both so proud of you and we wish
you much happiness and success in all you do.
Love,
Your two *favorite* sisters, Angela & Lisa

Jeff Sirois

Congratulations Jeff!

We are very proud of you and all
of your accomplishments!
You have grown into such a
wonderful, caring young man.
We know you will have much
success in your future.
Work hard and follow your dreams!

We love you,
Mom, Dad & Mike

David Veronesi

Congratulations David!

David,
We are so proud of you!
There are no limits
to what you can
accomplish.

All our love,
Mom & Dad

Dave,
Congratulations!
Never forget your
older brother is
there for you.

Dan

Veronica Roche

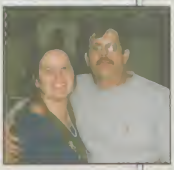
We are so very proud of you!

Time sure flies! It seems like just yesterday you were taking swim lessons, going to KNS, Dance Step, trips to Block Island, Montauk, Cuttyhunk (chicken pox), Newport, The Keys, 3 Mile Harbor, Europe, Disney, Calif., Ft. Lauderdale, camping and getting lost, Girl Scouts, cleaning the boat, eating Lobster with Grandma & Grandpa, being the little bilge rat on the SSDAJON, clamming, squiding, boogie boarding, sun tanning with Holly, the black T-bird (ATR), Christmas breakfast, Santa's helper with Molly and Sean, basketball, soccer with Coach O, Sectional State Champs, Academy Town Champs, Volleyball, All-State Javelin, family knees, braces, dirt biking with Sean and Dad, cleaning Grandma's house, mowing in January, job shadowing Grandpa, locking Sean in the bank vault, writing our names in buildings, Black Fri shopping.

You are quite a girl!

Love,

Mom & Dad, Adam, Holly, Sean, Mike & Skittles!



Sarah Carlson

Congratulations Sarah
"Sa Sa"

We are so proud of you and all that you have accomplished.
You are our shining star!
We wish you continued success in everything that you do. Remember to live well, laugh often and love much.
Good luck to you and the entire Class of 2008!

With all our love,
Mom, Dad, Bear,
Liam and Aiden

Adam Romegialli

Dear Adam,

We can't believe that you are already graduating from high school; it seems like only yesterday that you were off to Hubbard School for Kindergarten. We are very proud of the young man that you have grown to be. You're silly sense of humor always makes us laugh no matter what's going on, and your commitment to your entire family and doing what's right makes you a very special person. As you move on to college and beyond, we wish you success in all that you pursue. Always remember to continue to work hard, do what you love, and follow your dreams! We love you very much and couldn't be more proud. Congratulations and FISH ON!!!!

Love,
Mom and Dad
Ali and Craig

Meagan Guy

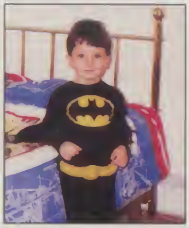
Meg, Meg Peg, Petunia,
Littlest One,

Let your heart take you where you want to be in life, and all your dreams will come true. You are a wonderful person, don't ever change. We are very proud of you. Thank you for all the exciting sport moments. Can't wait to watch you at the next level. Wherever you go, no matter how far our love is where you are.
Love,
Mom, Dad,
Matt and Penny

Joseph Sylvester

Joseph,
Deuteronomy 31:7-8: "Be strong and courageous... The Lord Himself goes before you and will be with you, He will never leave you or forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged."
As you begin your adventure in this big world, always remember how proud we are of you, and how much we love you. We will always be here for you, and wish you all the blessings and happiness life has to offer.
We love you man!
Mom, Dad, Sean,
Jeffrey and Casey

Justin Abel Crim



Justin,
We've never been able to keep up with your boundless energy...it's exhausting, but impressive! You're known for your "interesting" sense of humor and your outgoing personality, but we are also amazed by your academic achievements and we admire your dedication to all of your many projects. Never lose your sense of humor, your tireless energy and your drive.
Our hearts swell with pride.
Love you always,
Mom, Dad, Jason and Melanie

Kaley Skoglund

Congratulations Kaley!

We are so proud of all that you have accomplished and all that you have become.

Our wish for you is that your life
becomes all that you want it to,
Your dreams stay big,
your worries stay small,
You never need to carry
more than you can hold.
And while you're out there getting
where you're getting to,
We hope you know how much
we love you.

Mom, Dad and Arley

Andrew Hornberger

CONGRATULATIONS ANDREW!

Words cannot describe how proud we are of you and all you have accomplished.

Be true to yourself and in what you believe. We will always believe in you.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Olivia and Natalie

Nicholas Couceiro

NICK

Look how quickly you have grown, you truly have been a gift to us since the day you were born. And now as you venture out on this journey in your life, keep working hard, have fun and enjoy life. We know you will succeed in anything you put your mind to. Be true to yourself and follow your dreams and great things will come your way. You continue to make us proud everyday! We love you very much and we will always be there for you.

Love, Mom, Dad, Sabrina & Natalie

Cory Schroder

Congratulations Cory!

We are so proud of you and the young man you have become. You are outgoing, fun loving, a loyal friend and a person with a good soul.

Remember to be true to yourself. We believe in you and your abilities! As you move on to the next exciting step in your life, take advantage of what life has to offer. The world is yours, Cory, so dream big and go for it! Our love and support will always be there for you.

Lots of love,
Mom, Dad & Chris

Katherine Farr

Katie,
CONGRATULATIONS you did it!
You have accomplished so much throughout all these years. We are all SO VERY PROUD of YOU!
Always remember to listen to your heart and face challenges with a positive attitude and confidence.
BE HAPPY!
We love you so much!
Dad, Mom, T.J. and Becky

Scott Waskiewicz

Congratulations Scott and the Class of 2008

Scott,
We cherish the memories we have of watching you grow from a little boy to a fine young man. Follow your dreams, continue to stand for what you believe in and smile and laugh along the way.
We love you!
Mom & Dad

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."
~Ralph Waldo Emerson

Congratulations Scott!
Good luck in you future endeavors, and know that I'm always here to support you!
Love,
Sarah

Justin Hillemeir

So many treasures await you in your journey of life... and being blessed with you... has been ours.
Douglas Pagels

Congratulations Justin! We are so proud of you.

Love always, Mom, Dad & Eric

Michael Pagano

CONGRATULATIONS MICHAEL!

You are a wonderful son and brother. We've watched with pride as you've grown up to be a fine young man. We wish you love, health and happiness as you continue to work hard to achieve all of your goals and dreams.
Love,
Mom, Dad and Vinnie

Derek Wnuk

Mister,
We are all so proud of you. Watching you grow from a little boy that dressed in your own handmade fire gear (ski pants in the summer!) to a grown man that is now a volunteer firefighter is just incredible. You have made and I hope keep making your dreams come true. You have certainly worked very hard to get where you are today.
You are an inspiration to us all.
Congratulations on all your achievements.
Love,
Mom

Hey Bud!!
There is nothing a man would like more than his son following in his footsteps! I am so proud of you becoming a firefighter and serving the community like I did when I was your age! It is clear to me by watching your growth in high school that you have a great opportunity ahead in your personal and professional life. There is no greater feeling for a father to have than watching his son have so many high achievements! I am proud to say that we now share in the brotherhood of public safety through the fire service.
Love,
Dad

D,
I've looked up to you and I hope someday I can be as hard-working and responsible as you. I'll never forget all the jokes we shared. Good luck in all you do. "What kind of ball purple Lamborghini ball hmmm?"
Love,
Shell

I'm so proud of you, D! Good luck in everything you do. You know I will always be here for you.
Love,
Jenny

Allison Farrell

Congratulations Allison!

Your kind and caring manner is what makes you so very special. It is a delight to be around you. We are very proud of you and all that you have accomplished. Stay as sweet as you are. We wish you continued success and much happiness always. We love you.
Mom, Dad, Bill and Mike

Haley Nemeth

Dear Haley:
As you journey down
The "trails" of your life.....
Know that our
love and support
will always follow you.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Miriam & Amelia

Derek Roncaioli

Congratulations Derek!

You have grown to be a fine young man. We recognize your gentle spirit, intelligence, many interests, sense of humor, and always your willingness to work hard. Keep your faith in God; He will always be there for you. Dream big and stay true to your dreams. Remember that we are proud of you and will always love you!

Mom, Dad and Justin

Andrew Zelek

Congratulations Drew and the Class of 2008

We are so proud of you and the person you have become. Don't ever lose your sense of humor.

Follow your dreams and you will be successful...

Love you,
Mom, Dad, Ryan and Rachel

Sabrina Kania

Congratulations!

Having a wonderful sister like you means more than you can know. I am so proud of you and happy to see that all of your hard work paid off. May your future be filled with love, health, happiness and success in everything you do. Continue to work hard, follow your heart. Be true to yourself, the bright future is yours. Your actions always spoke louder than your words. Good luck in the challenges ahead.
To the best sister ever!
I am always here for you.
Love, Darius

Cameron Banks

Dear Cameron,

You never boast or speak about your generosity or how much you have done for others, nor have you ever mentioned to anyone the sacrifices you've made to maintain your high ideals. Speaking the truth is not always popular but we can always count on you to do so. You work harder than anyone we know and you will never be sorry for it. So much of the kindness and compassion you show your fellow man is given when no one is watching, and that is when it counts most. We love you for that, and for who you are.

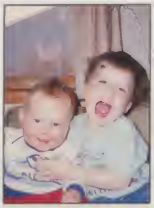
Mom & Dad

Cam,

You're the smartest and best kid I know.

Jack

Michael Soneson



Congratulations Michael!!

We are so proud of you and your many accomplishments. You are a great son and brother. Your kindness, compassion, determination, loyalty and witty sense of humor are sure to help you succeed in whatever you do. May God continue to bless and guide you. We wish you good health, happiness, love and success as you continue your life's journey.

Love,
Mom, Dad & Andrew

Thomas Quinn

Tom,

We are so proud of you and your accomplishments. You have always brought us such happiness and we will especially miss your smile and sense of humor next year!

Continue to work hard, play hard and maintain that sense of humor, and you will have great success in whatever you choose to do.

We will always be here to love and support you!

Love always,
Mom, Dad, Brian (and Maggie)

Kelsey Marquis

Congratulations!
Class of 2008

Live Your Life.....
Laugh Your Heart Out....
Love Like No Other.....

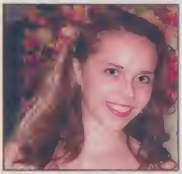
It takes courage to grow up and turn out to be who you really are!

Love you,
Mom & Dad

Sabrina Kania

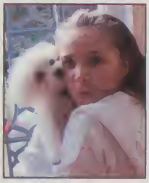
Congratulations, SABRINA

You are our treasured gift from God,
our angel and light.
We are so proud of the young woman
that you have become.
You are unique and one of a kind.
We want you to know that your health,
happiness and your beautiful smile
Always be treasured to us.
Sabrina, we are very proud of you and
all your accomplishments.
You deserve the best that life has to offer.
Your life can be what you want it to be.
Take life days just one at a time.
Remember to always believe in yourself.
Keep up the good work and
achieve your goals!
Count your blessings not your troubles.
Follow your dreams and never give up.
Keep that sparkle in your eyes, the laughter
in your heart and reach for the stars!
Our best wishes for a
bright and successful future.
Always remember home and the
love that we have for you.
We are here for you always
with love and support!
Good luck, sweetheart!
May God bless you and keep you safe.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Darius, Miko



Thank you for all the joy you
have brought to us.
Love, Dad

To the world you might
just be one person.
But to one person you
might just be the WORLD!
Love, Mom



Good luck.
Love, Miko

Meghan G. Conway

The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams.
~Eleanor Roosevelt

We are so proud of you!
Wishing you much love and success in the future.
Love,
Mom, Dad and Richard

Peter Smith

Peter,
We
love
you.
We're
proud
of you.

Mom, A.J. and Tommy

John "Jack" Cooper

Dear Jack,

You are a wonderful son and brother.
We are so proud of all your accomplishments.
We love you so much.
Best wishes for lots of happiness.

Love always,

Mom, Dad, Natalie & Joey

FOR BEN

Lucky stars above you,
Sunshine on your way,
Many friends to love you,
Joy in work and play.
Laughter to outweigh each care,
In your heart a song.
And gladness waiting everywhere
All your whole life long!

With Love and the Best of Wishes,
Ma, Dad, Mag, Abbe, Duncan & the Turtle

Michael Clancy

Patriots

Red Sox

We love you, Mikey!

You are done with high school! We know that you will find your way and do well. You are such a smart, kind person and you are a very important part of our family.

Lots of love,
Mom, Danny,
Ellie, Melina,
Nick and Dora

Jimmy Connelly

Congratulations Jimmy!

We are so proud of you and love you very much!

We wish you happiness and success in the years to come.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Steve, Lizzie and Emma

Bryan Michael Murphy

Congratulations!

We are very proud of you.

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Mom,
Dad,
and
Bobby

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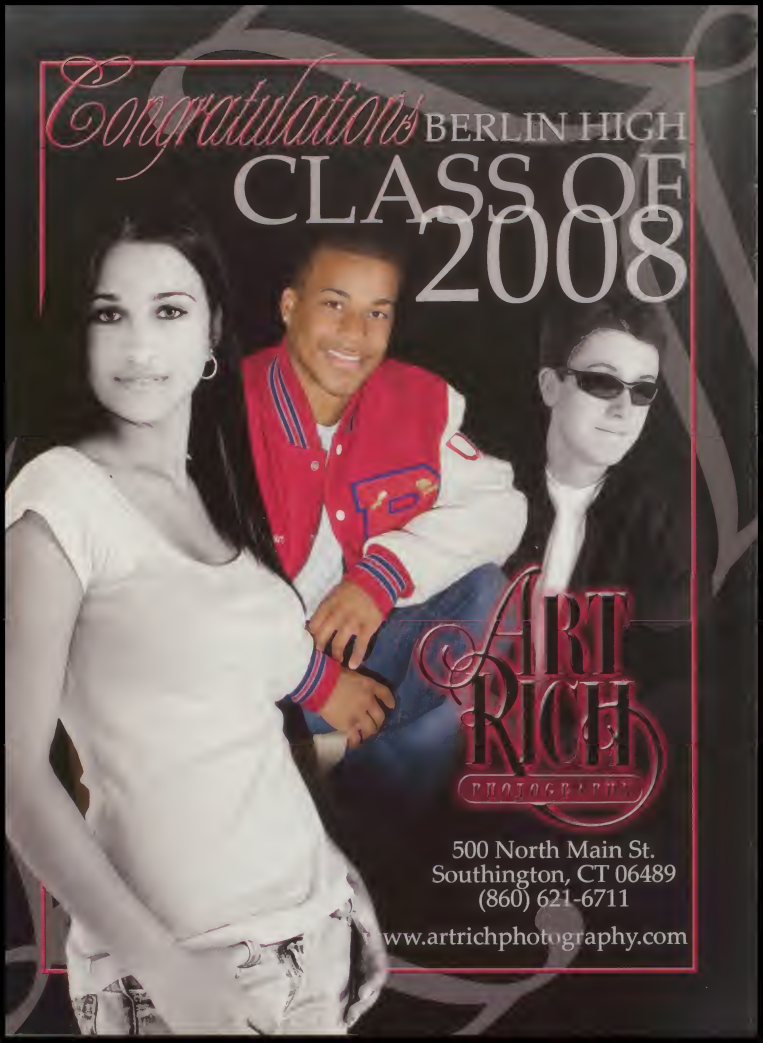

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-Berlin Upbeat

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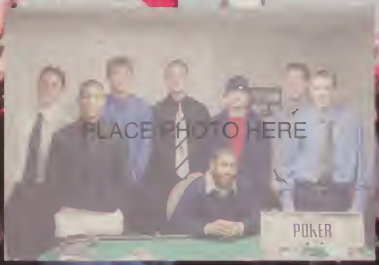
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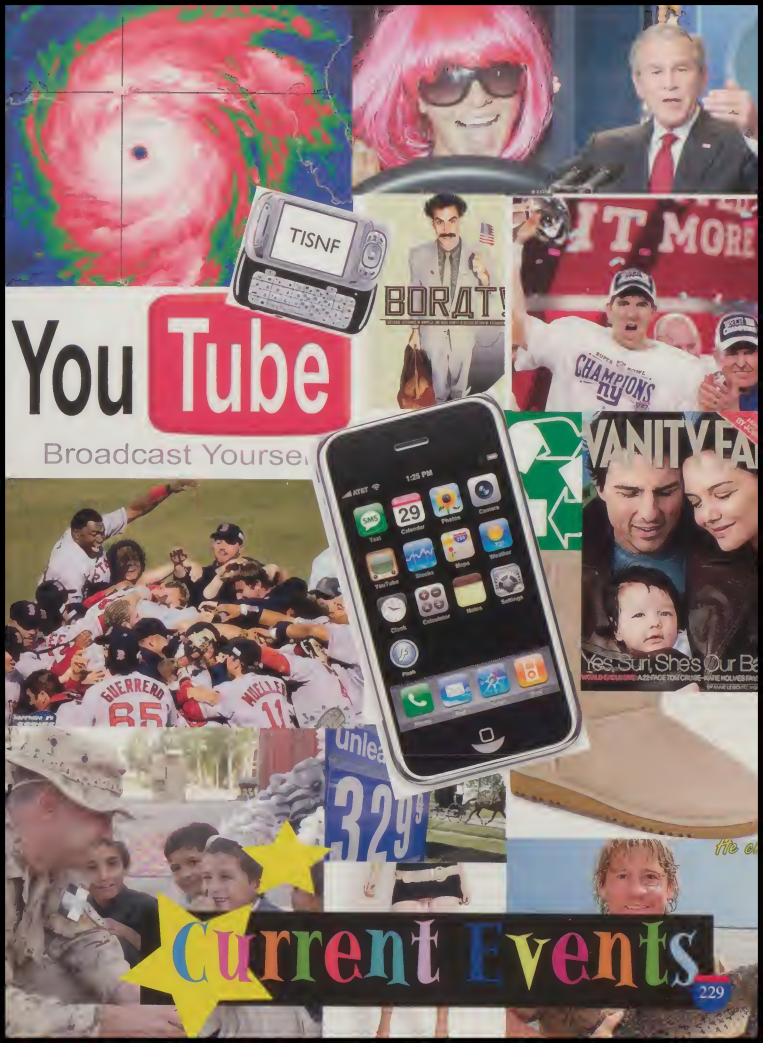
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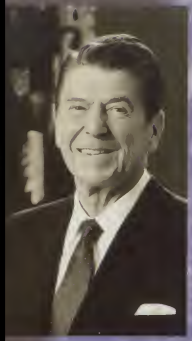
Current Events

Global

Above left: Saddam Hussein dies December 30, 2006 after being captured by U.S. forces and put on trial. **Above right:** Bombing attack occurs in London's public transport systems on July 7, 2005.



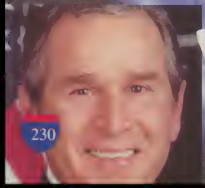
Above: On June 5, 2004, Ronald Reagan, the 40th President of the United States, dies at age 93. **Below:** The conflict in Darfur continues in western Sudan.

Above left: Gas prices continue to fluctuate. **Above right:** U.S. troops in the ongoing battle in Iraq

Mahmoud Ahmadinejad, president of Iran, makes headlines in October 2005 for his remarks about Israel.

Above: In August of 2005, Hurricane Katrina hits much of the Gulf Coast and causes severe damage. **Below:** The 2008 election poses some competition between Hilary Clinton and Barrack Obama

The 2004 presidential election results in George W. Bush getting re-elected for a second term.



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Above: The 2004 Summer Olympic Games are held in the place of origin, Athens, Greece. **Above center:** Sinclair airplane laws are installed.

Above: California wildfires spread through the state, causing terrible damage.

Right: Global warming becomes a increasingly threatening issue

Below: The 2006 tsunami strikes in southwestern Indonesia causing considerable damage and worldwide attention

Above: Martha Stewart goes to prison in 2004 on charges including lying to federal investigators and conspiracy.

Right: in 2006 vice president Dick Cheney accidentally shoots and wounds a campaign contributor

Below: In 2005 after 26 years of reign Pope John II dies at age 84. He is replaced by Pope Benedict XVI

Below: Pakistan Prime Minister Benizar Bhutto is assassinated in 2007

Below: In 2006 North Korea allows people to come into the country to search for nuclear weapons

Music

Above: Phenomenon Lil Wayne shows his grills
Below: Rascal Flatts, the hit country band best known for their song "What Hurts the Most"

Right: The Spice Girls came together for a reunion tour in 2007 and 2008

Above: The popular but controversial Amy Winehouse, who walked away with 5 Grammys this year despite her ongoing relationship with rehab clinics

Above: Pop princess Gwen Stefani

Below: Kanye West represents a whole new breed of politically, religiously aware rappers

Left: Pete Wentz of Fall Out Boy, the pop punk band that stormed the world with "Sugar, We're Goin' Down"
Below: Silverstein's vocalist Shane Told belts out a post-hardcore refrain
Below Right: Indie favorites The Yeah Yeah Yeahs pose for a nature shot

The Top Five Most Downloaded Songs of...

Tiesto and Suzie

As I Lay Dying

2004

1. [illegible]
2. [illegible]
3. [illegible]
4. [illegible] Black Eyed Peas
5. [illegible]

Left: Fergie of the Black Eyed Peas launched a highly successful solo career with the song "My Humps"

Above: Hip Hop and R&B star Usher

Below: Rip Hop Rappers KMK

2005

1. Hollaback Girl-Gwen Stefani
2. Gold Digger-Kanye West
3. Beverly Hills-Weezer
4. Since U Been Gone-Kelly Clarkson
5. My Humps-Black Eyed Peas

Above: Pop rock band All Time Low

Right: The ever successful rapper Eminem poses for the camera

2006

1. Big Girls Don't Cry- Fergie
2. The Sweet Escape- Gwen Stefani
3. Hey There Delilah- Plain White Tee's
4. Girlfriend- Avril Lavigne
5. Glamorous- Fergie

Below: 50 Cent and the notorious G-Unit

Below: Panic at the Disco became an overnight pop sensation in 2005

2007

1. Promiscuous- Nelly Furtado
2. Hips Don't Lie- Shakira
3. How To Save a Life- The Fray
4. Buttons- Pussycat Dolls
5. My Love- Justin Timberlake

Sports

Left: In 2004, Michelle Wie becomes the youngest person to ever play in the PGA tour at the age of 14.

Above: Justin Gatlin the 2004 100 meter champion at the the Summer Olympics is banned for eight years for testing positive on a drug test.

Above: The New York Giants win the 2008 Super Bowl against the New England Patriots, who had an undefeated regular season.

Above: Michael Phelps wins a total of 8 medals in the 2004 Summer Olympics alone, and is named World Swimmer of the Year in 2004, 2006, and 2007.

Right: David Beckham leaves the Real Madrid to play for the LA Galaxy in Los Angeles.

Below Right: Andre Agassi retires and receives an 8 minute standing ovation at the 2006 US Open

Right: Michael Vick goes to court for dog fighting.

Left: Andy Roddick ranks 6th in the world and 1st in the country in 2007.

Right: The Boston Red Sox win the 2004 World Series after an 86 year losing streak. The curse of the Bambino is broken.

Below: Joe Torre, former manager of the New York Yankees becomes the manager of the Los Angeles Dodgers

Below: Sasha Cohen wins 2006 Gold medal in figure skating at the 2006 Winter Olympics

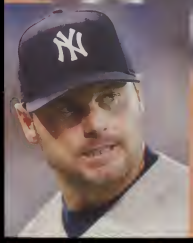
Above: Johnny Damon a former Red Sox out fielder joins the Yankees.

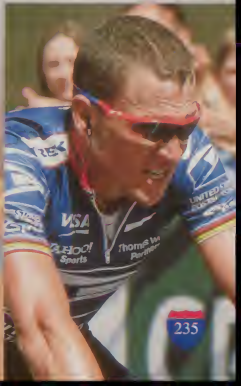
Below: Tiki Barber retires from the NFL in 2006 to pursue a career in broadcasting

Below: Lance Armstrong wins his 7th Tour de France in 2005.

Below: Italy defeats France at the world cup in 2006

Below: Roger Clemens is accused of using steroids, beginning a controversy throughout baseball.





Entertainment

Left: Both Juno (2007) and Borat (2006) are huge hits in the film industry.

Above: Paris Hilton starts lots of drama, including her phrase "that's hot!" Janet Jackson also stirs things up at the Superbowl in 2004.

Right: Nick Lachey and Jessica Simpson break it off in June of 2006 after their seasons of "Newlyweds."

Oscar's Best Picture Awards, 2004: Million Dollar Baby, 2005: Crash, 2006: The Departed, 2007: No Country for Old Men

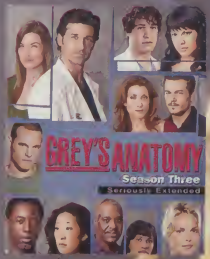
Below: Michael Jackson goes on trial in November of 2006.

Above: A distressed Lindsay Lohan was in rehab in February of 2007.

Above: Britney Spears hopes for the best as she shaves off her dark locks in 2007. "Brangelina" walk with their adopted children in 2007.

Below: A pregnant Nicole Ritchie with boyfriend Joel Madden of Good Charlotte.

Right: A few of our favorite tv shows; House, Grey's Anatomy and Family Guy.



Below: Harry Potter fans go crazy over new releases by J.K. Rowling, including the final installment, Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows

Below: Crocodile Hunter Steve Irwin passes away in September of 2006. Beloved actor Heath Ledger overdoses and dies in January of 2008.

Trends of 2004 – 2008

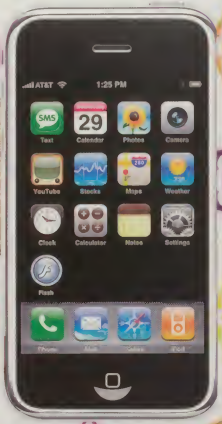
Myspace and Facebook became a very popular way of communicating among teens

Uggs became very popular along with other boots in 2004 and remained popular in 2008

Gauchoes became a very popular fashion item in 2005

Coach purses and big purses in general became a "must have" item during the past four years

Big white sunglasses filled up stores during the summer months



Iphones made their debut in 2007 and have had continued success. "Texting" also became the new way of communicating among young and old

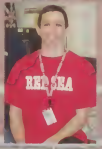
Some popular drinks were Starbucks coffee, energy drinks like Red Bull, and Vitamin Water

Smart Boards
were introduced to math and science classrooms at Berlin High

New Sports come to BHS
Men's Swimming & Diving and Women's Lacrosse

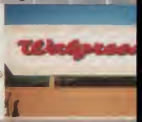
Dr. Cicchetti & Rena Klebart
were appointed Berlin's new superintendent and assistant superintendent

Stew Leonard's
gave Berlin a new meaning to the word "grocery store", and employed many BHS students



School ID's
were introduced in 2007, and caused controversy among students

Walgreens & Arby's
Berlin's new additions to Farmington Avenue



Stop & Shop
opened on Farmington Avenue in November 2005

Pistol Creek Golf Club
Closes in 2006

A.C.H.I.E.V.E
Berlin High's new slogan marked the walls in every classroom

Teams advance into postseason
The BHS football, Women's Soccer, Volleyball, Mens & Women's Basketball, Baseball, Softball, Men & Women's Golf and Women's Tennis advanced from 2004-2008. Men's Soccer advanced in 2004 & 2006

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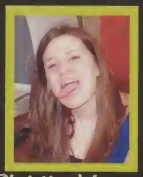
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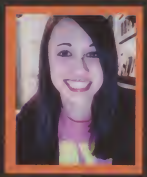
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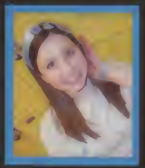
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